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YORKSHIRE WIN

VERITY DISMISSES
NORTHANTS FOR 89.

Notts Win and Sussex
Draw with Lancs.

IDDON'S DOUBLE CENTURY.

Middlesex and Surrey
Collapse Badly.

London, Yesterday.
Yorkshire to-day registered their sixth success of the season when they beat Northants by an innings. Verity was again in good form and took 8 for 39 in Northants first innings, which totalled only 89 runs. Macaulay, the veteran fast bowler, was deadly in the second innings and, bowling unchanged, claimed 7 wickets for 66 runs.

Notts, who are following close on the heels of their northern rivals, easily accounted for the disappointing Gloucestershire eleven when they beat the visitors by 6 wickets at Trent Bridge. Harold Larwood took 6 wickets for 79 runs in the first innings, only "Wally" Hammond (119) withstanding his express deliveries. In Gloucester's second innings Larwood took 5 for 38 to give him a total "bag" of 11 for 117 for the match.

Iddon's Double Century.

In a game which was spoilt by rain at Manchester Sussex had to be content with a drawn against Lancashire after scoring 322 for 5 in reply to the home county's useful total of 413. Iddon distinguished himself in this game by scoring 201, his second three-figure innings of the season. Butterworth also reached three figures to score 101. For Sussex, K. S. Duleepsinhji, the skipper, scored 111 in a characteristic innings.

Middlesex Collapse.

Leicestershire caused a mild sensation when they defeated Middlesex by 3 wickets at Leicester. Commencing their second innings 45 runs in arrears Middlesex collapsed sensational for 133, thus setting Leicestershire the task of scoring 89 runs for victory. Leicester, however, only just got home, losing seven wickets before the winning hit was made.

Lee Brothers Score 249.

Thanks to F. Lee (140) and J. Lee (109) Somerset were able to amass the huge total of 459 against Essex at Leyton. Hazel followed up by taking 12 wickets for 122 runs to give Somerset victory by an innings and 74 runs. Pope (115) strove hard to give Essex a fighting chance in the first innings, but his effort was unavailing and Essex were forced to follow on 203 runs in arrears.

Surrey Out for 88!

The strong Surrey batting side collapsed badly against Derby at Chesterfield and were dismissed for 88—92 runs in arrears on the first innings, and at the close of play they required 236 runs for victory with eight wickets in hand.

Universities in Action.

A splendid innings for 118 by R. H. J. Brooke enabled Oxford to gain a 10 wicket victory over Leveson-Gower's XI. In spite of brilliant bowling by Stroud, who took 7 wickets for 92 runs.

A. G. Hazelrigg, the Cambridge skipper, registered his second century of the season when he scored 104 not out against the M.C.C. at Lord's, and his splendid effort saved Cambridge from defeat, the Light Blues losing 116 runs in arrears with only nine wickets in hand.

(Results and Tables on Page 1.)

AUSTIN SHOULD BEAT VINES TO-DAY

ENGLISHMAN'S EXPERIENCE AND COURS-CRAFT

HUGHES AND PERRY FAVOURITES

MLE. SIGART AND MISS RYAN TO BID FOR THE "DOUBLE."

Wimbledon, Yesterday.

Bunny Austin should be able to give England her first singles victory at Wimbledon after a lapse of twenty-five years when he meets Ellsworth Vines in the Anglo-American Final to-morrow.

Austin is the more experienced player of the two. He has played at Wimbledon on former occasions and his court-craft and experience should weigh the balances in his favour. Vines, on the other hand, is making his first appearance at Wimbledon and has only two years of big tennis behind him. He is a hard-hitting player and speedy both in stroke production and on the court, but he lacks the court-craft of the Englishman, who has the advantage of meeting the American for the first time on a court which definitely favours Austin.

The English player has not had such an easy passage as Vines in his path to the Final and the fresh experience gained should prove an asset to him.

Fred Perry, at one time a favourite for the Singles title, will be all out for a title in his second attempt at Wimbledon. Partnered by Hughes he is opposed to a more experienced and aged pair in Borotra and Brugnon.

Hughes and Perry, however, have shown amazing co-operation in their recent matches, and will walk on to the courts to-morrow with favourites in spite of the French pair's triumph over Allison and Von Ryn, America's No. 1 ranking pair. Hughes and Perry are out to dispel all doubts regarding Britain's No. 1 ranking doubles pair and are determined to establish themselves as a better combination than Ian Collins and Dr. J. C. Gregory, of whom much has been written.

Harry Hopman is the fourth Wills again in the field, but her British representative in tomorrow's Finals and partnered by Mlle. Sigart, the Belgian champion, she should stand a very good chance of success in the Mixed Doubles against Maier, the Spanish champion, and Elizabeth Ryan, the finest lady doubles player in the world.

Elizabeth Ryan, who is now nearly 35 years of age, has a great opportunity to record the "double" as she is in both the Mixed Doubles and the Women's Doubles Finals. In partnership with Helen Jacobs, and not with Helen Wills as was announced at the commencement of the Wimbledon tournament, she will be opposed to last year's finalists, Mlle. Sigart and Mlle. Metaxa. She will, however, find in Mlle. Sigart a worthy opponent, for she too is striving to bring off the "double."

The United States, though possessing a representative in three of tomorrow's Finals, are not in the strong position they were last year, when as a nation they captured three of the five titles. This year they have had Helen

PASSENGER IN HARBOUR.

Chinese Seaman Effects Rescue.

Whilst the Taumati ferry launch, Man Chee, was under way in the harbour yesterday afternoon, a female passenger, Mok Mui (18), of Queen's Road West, jumped into the water in an attempt to commit suicide. Lau Chung-shing, a seaman on board the ferry, dived in and rescued the woman, who was in an unconscious condition. They were picked up by No. 5 Police Launch and the woman was sent to the Light Blue's 116 runs in arrears with only nine wickets in hand.

(Results and Tables on Page 1.)

ELECTRIC COMPANY FAILS.

U.S. Copper Concern's Action.

New York, To-day.
The Katanga Copper Company has also withdrawn from the membership roll of the Copper Exporters' Incorporated, as a result of the tax. An involuntary petition for bankruptcy has been filed by the Federal Court against the National Electric Power Company, which has a capital of \$600,000,000 and an annual concern.

(From the Public Mercury.)

GIGANTIC SWARM OF LOCUSTS MENACE TANGANYIKA.

Military Authorities Help To Stem Invasion.

Dar-es-Salaam, To-day.
A great invasion of locusts on front of over 100 miles of the Northern Territory of Tanganyika, is seriously menacing crops. The authorities of Kenya Colony and Tanganyika are combing with the military authorities to try and stem the advance. — Reuter.

FRANCE'S EMPTY TREASURY.

5,000,000,000 Francs Deficit.

DRASTIC CUTS PROPOSED.

Increased Taxation.

Paris, To-day.

A Bill meet the deficit of 5,000,000,000 francs which has been submitted to Chamber of Deputies provides cuts in expenditure of 2,500,000,000 francs and increased taxation of 1,500,000,000 francs.

Army, Navy and Air Forces expenditure is reduced by 5,000,000,000 francs and 1,000,000,000 francs is saved by a five per cent. cut in Civil Services staff, expenditure, and a modification of War Pension allowances.

The salaries of the President of the Republic, Ministers, and Parliamentarians are submitted for reducing and the Budget Minister has urged the necessity of immediate action, as the Treasury is almost empty. — Reuter.

YANKEES BEATEN BY BOSTON.

Close Fight Staged in National League.

The following were the results of yesterday's Baseball games:

National League.

	New York	Boston	St. Louis	Chicago	St. Louis	Chicago
Men's Doubles—Semi-Final.	5	4	3	8	8	4
Jean Borotra and Jacques Brugnon (France) beat Wilmur Allison and John Van Ryn (U.S.A.) 6-3, 6-2, 6-4.	62	64	63	60	60	58
G. P. Hughes and Fred Perry (Britain) beat Christian Boussac and Andre Merlin (France) 8-6, 6-1, 6-3.	5	7	7	7	7	7

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Mixed Doubles—Semi-Final.

Harry Hopman and Mlle. Sigart beat Jacques Brugnon and Mme. Mathieu (France) 6-4, 6-4.

H. Maier and Miss E. Ryan beat Henri Cochet and Mrs. Fearnley Whittingstall 7-5, 3-6, 6-1.

Women's Doubles—Semi-Final.

Miss E. Ryan and Miss Helen Jacobs (U.S.A.) beat Mlle. Payot and Miss Thomas 6-1, 6-2.

Mlle. Metaxa and Mlle. Sigart beat Mrs. Holcroft-Watson and Miss Harvey (Britain) 7-5, 6-2.

— Reuter.

TABLES TO DATE.

National League.

P.	W.	L.	Percent.	
Chicago	67	87	80	.562
Pittsburgh	62	84	28	.548
Boston	69	88	33	.520
Philadelphia	73	87	36	.507
St. Louis	67	84	33	.507
Brooklyn	71	85	36	.498
New York	64	81	33	.484
Cincinnati	77	81	46	.402

American League.

P.	W.	L.	Percent.	
New York	67	47	20	.701
Detroit	65	88	27	.584
Philadelphia	71	40	31	.558
Washington	69	88	31	.558
Cleveland	68	86	32	.528
St. Louis	66	84	32	.516
Chicago	65	23	42	.384
Boston	67	18	54	.184

— Reuter.

Motion in House.

London, Yesterday.

Special duties, not exceeding 100 per cent. ad valorem, may be imposed on articles to be specified, which are imported from the Irish Free State to Britain, direct or through other countries.

This is the gist of the preliminary motion to be proposed by Mr. Thomas, in the House of Commons, in consequences of the Free States' non-payment of the land annuities instalment.

The proposed duties will be imposed in addition to those existing at present. — Reuter.

FALL OF 25 FEET.

Man Seized With Heart Failure.

Wing Lee Lane was the scene of a tragedy yesterday, when an unemployed Chinese, named Mak Ping, fell a height of 25 feet to his death.

It was stated that the unfortunate man was suffering from heart disease, and fell whilst in the transport Republic.

The patient died before dawn

to the Public Mercury.

— Reuter.

Shanghai, Yesterday.

The 81st U.S. Infantry, who

were rushed to Shanghai during

the recent Sino-Japanese conflict,

embarked this evening on

the transport Republic.

The patient died before dawn

to the Public Mercury.

— Reuter.

AMERICA'S GOLD HOARD.

\$5,000,000 Increase in A Fortnight.

OUTFLOW FORECASTED.

New York, To-day.

Since the French withdrawal of gold was completed a fortnight ago, the United States stock of gold has increased by \$5,000,000, but a renewal of the outflow of gold is anticipated by the "Evening Post." This result should rise in a Continental exchange, some of which are again above the gold export level. — Reuter.

MR. ROOSEVELT NOMINATED.

Democrats Choose Candidate.

Chicago, Yesterday.

Mr. Franklin Roosevelt was to-day selected by the Democratic Convention as their candidate in the Presidential election. After one ballot, had been unsuccessful, he was chosen with a total of 677½. Al Smith with 194½, and Mr. Garner with 90½ followed.

After speeches and parades that lasted throughout the night, the Democrats settled down to the main task of electing a Presidential candidate from nine names, of which Mr. Franklin Roosevelt was the favourite and Mr. Al Smith second favourite.

Others proposed were "Cactus Jack" Garner, ex-Governor of Virginia, Mr. Byrd Governor of Maryland, Mr. Ritchie, the ex-Missouri Senator, Mr. James Reed, Chicago banker, Mr. Nevin Taylor, Governor of Ohio, Mr. White, Governor of Oklahoma and "Alfalfa" Murray.

Nobody secured outright nomination on the first ballot, Mr. Roosevelt polling 666½, which was 103½ short of the required majority. Al Smith secured 201½ and Mr. Garner 90½.

Mr. Roosevelt announced that he would insist that the session continue until a nomination was made. — Reuter.

DUTIES ON IRISH GOODS.

Motion in House.



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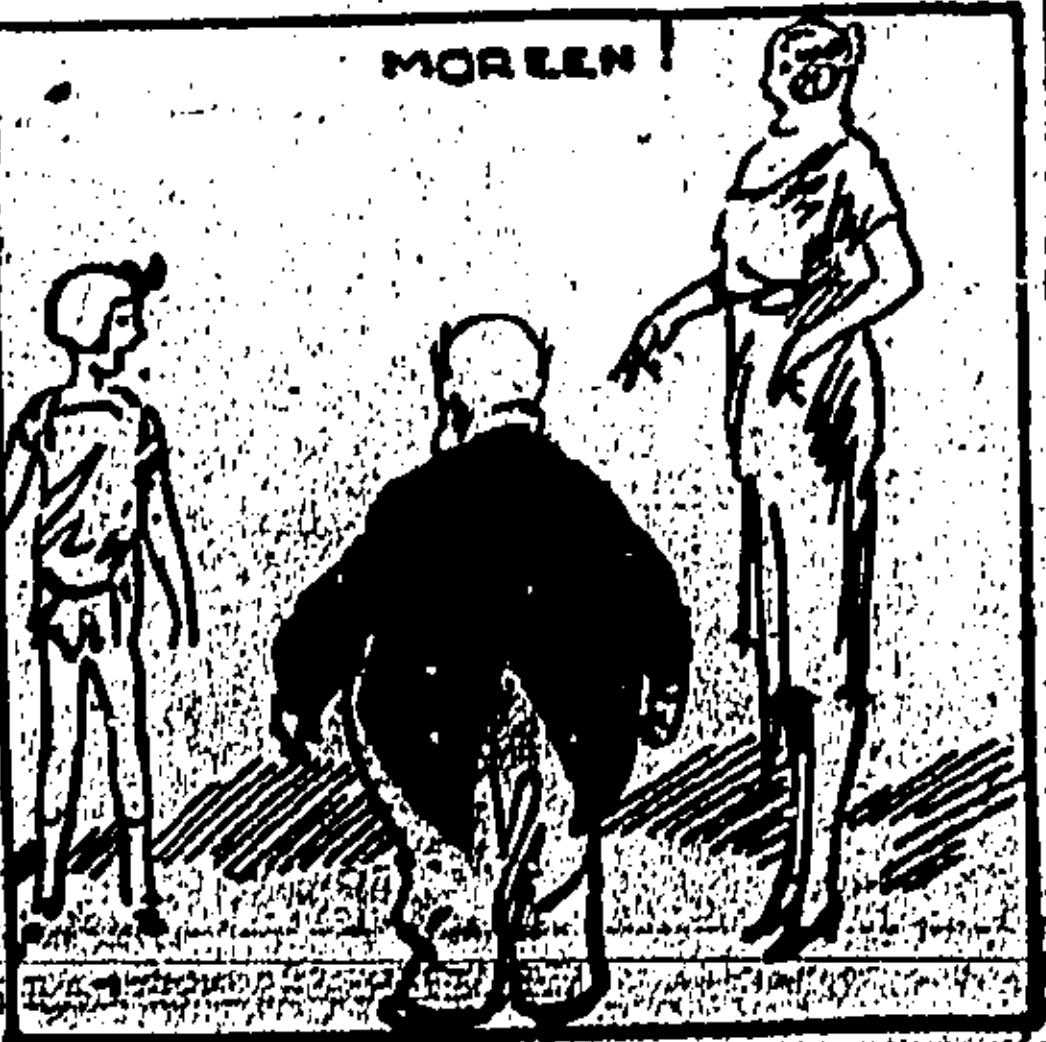
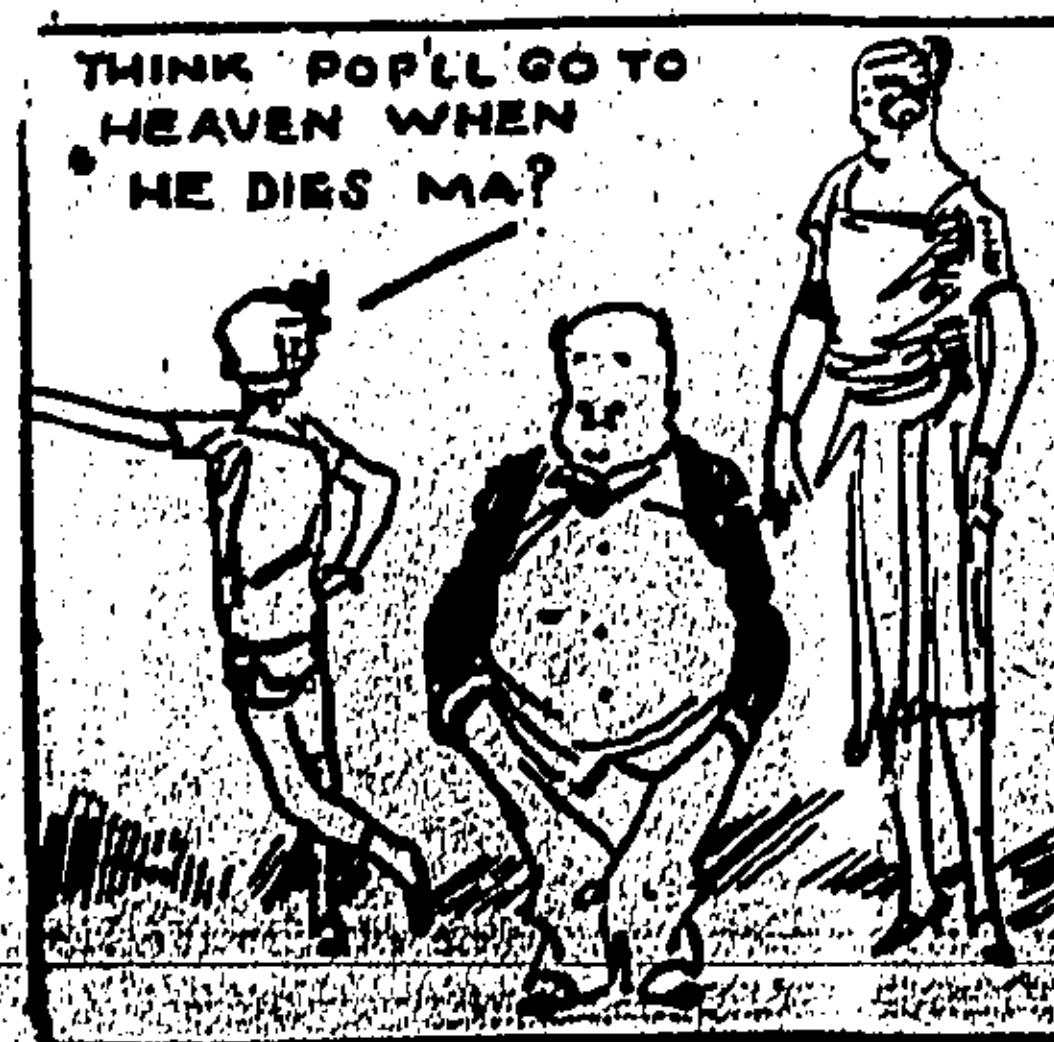
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By J. MILLAR WATT.

Rearranging Room

LOW FURNITURE MAKES ROOM LOOK LARGER.

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Rooms get set expressions, just as do people. The "make-up" becomes hard and ingrained and their furniture cannot bear to be an inch out of place. This is what gives a dead look to so many houses, which are either devoid of untidy young people or which possess owners whose arrangements have become merely a habit. New paint and paper, of course, help a room to mobilise its expression, but this is the more expensive way of achieving variety.

A much better plan is to think now and again of a fundamental alteration. The divan, Chesterfield, or mere sofa, for instance, may sometimes be allowed to stick out into the room instead of taking up a long wall-space. There are certain pieces of furniture which may stand out in the middle of the room—a standard bookcase or an armchair—without being set against a wall or without the necessarily guarding the fire.

Look Larger.

Low furniture obviously makes a room look larger than that which is high, and with low furniture any amount of changing can be accomplished. Rooms can be arranged in groups, or in corners. A Chesterfield sticking out at right angles to the fire, can be finished up with a square bookcase, if this is about its own height.

A corner may be grouped round a little low table. A tall cupboard or escritoire may leave its central position against the wall and sit into a niche, which gives more sense of space.

MENUS FOR THE THIN.

Slimming Diet.

Menu No. 1.

BREAKFAST.
Orange juice or stewed prunes;
puffed rice; poached egg on
toast; Melba toast; butter;
coffee.

LUNCHEON.

CHEESE SOUFFLE; fresh spinach; 1
baked potato; combination vegetable
salad; French dressing;
hutter (small amount); fresh
strawberries (in season); skim
milk.

DINNER.

Cream of corn soup; baked fish;
sliced tomato; lettuce salad;
French dressing; fruit sherbet;
wafers; coffee.

Menu No. 2.

BREAKFAST.
Orange juice or melon (in season)
or banana; corn flakes; coddled
egg; toast; butter; coffee.

LUNCHEON.

CREAMED CHICKEN ON TOAST POINTS;
baby Lima beans; lettuce salad
with French dressing; fresh
pineapple; milk.

DINNER.

Cream of celery soup; roast beef,
baked potato (1); buttered carrots,
stewed tomatoes; lettuce and
orange salad; banana salad
or baked apple or sliced peaches.

SLIMMING MENUS.

Menu No. 1.

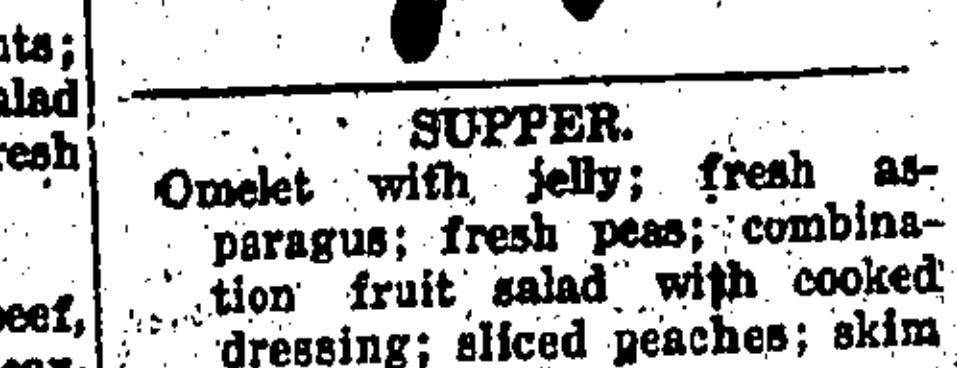
BREAKFAST.
Capefruit juice or prunes; oat
meal with milk; butter (small
amount); coffee.

LUNCHEON.

STUFFED TOMATO SALAD; cottage
cheese; lettuce; string beans;
baked apple; skim milk.

DINNER.

VEGETABLE SOUP; roast beef (lean);
string beans; diced beets; to
mato salad; baked apple.



SUPPER.

Omelet with jelly; fresh
asparagus; fresh peas; combination
fruit salad with cooked
dressing; sliced peaches; skim
milk.

Menu No. 2.

BREAKFAST.
Orange juice (½ glass); or straw
berries (in season); soft-boiled
egg (1); butter (small
amount); skim milk; coffee.

LUNCHEON.

STUFFED TOMATO SALAD; cottage
cheese; lettuce; string beans;
baked apple; skim milk.

DINNER.

ROAST VEAL; spinach; carrots; let
tuce salad; slice banana; skim
milk.

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Light Blues Win At Lawn Tennis

Rain Cancels Five Matches

INDIAN DAVIS CUP PAIR SHOW IMPROVED FORM.

OXFORD LOSE BY 12-4

Cambridge won the forty-eighth Lawn Tennis match against Oxford on Saturday at Cambridge. The match depends on the result of 21 ties — 12 Singles and nine Doubles — but as rain had prevented play on Friday only 16 were played, Cambridge winning 12 of them. The conditions could hardly have been worse. The heavy rain, which had started early on Friday morning, eliminated the grass courts, and on Saturday a penetrating drizzle alternated with downpours which several times interrupted play. The light, too, was poor, and the courts afforded little or no foothold. In the circumstances some of the play was remarkably good.

The best Single of the day was that in which Tinkler beat Malfroy after a game in which each player had to compete as much against his opponent. Malfroy settled down to his game more quickly than Tinkler, and by perpetually coming up to the net he so hustled his opponent that he was able to come up on strokes of indifferent quality and he certain that he would be presented with comparatively easy shots to kill. Before long Tinkler found himself led by 5 games to 2, and had he pursued his original tactics of staying at the back of the court and trying to score points almost entirely by means of passing shots he would, in all probability, have lost the set and, subsequently, the match. At this point, however, Tinkler discarded to a certain extent his passing shots and proceeded to drive Malfroy to the back of the court by lobbing to the backhand corner, and then following up these shots to the net, where his volleying was as successful as Malfroy's had been. Malfroy did not at once submit to being driven back on the defensive, and for some time there was, quite often, the unusual spectacle in a Single of both men standing within the service line, and, aided by the slowness of the court, and their own remarkable ability, being able to sustain comparatively long rallies from this position.

After being beaten rather easily by Tinkler in the morning, A. Madan Mohan played some really good lawn tennis in the afternoon, when he beat B. W. Finnigan, the Oxford captain, losing only four games in the two sets. Madan Mohan had no difficulty in keeping his opponent away from the net, for his passing shots produced from apparently impossible positions are his best strokes. From the back of the court Madan Mohan was always Finnigan's superior, as his shots covered wider areas than his opponent's, and Finnigan was kept on the run trying to return Madan Mohan's shots instead of being allowed to make his own.

J. Charanjiva, who, with Madan Mohan, formed this year's Indian Davis Cup team, was more than within a point of being beaten by G. C. Frank, the young American lefthander. Frank is deceptive player, for, while there is no very great power behind his shots, the ball always seemed to go into the part of the court from which his opponent found it most difficult to make a good return. Frank led 5-2 in the final set, but at this point Charanjiva decided to go out for the shots and risk the possible loss of the match. He therefore came up to the net at every possible opportunity and with the aid of his long reach and good eye made a sequence of winning volleys. Frank's steadiness never faltered in spite of having to pass his opponent instead of playing him from the back of the court at the pace he had chosen, and in the ninth game, with a lead of 5-3, he had four match points, but Charanjiva saved them all and went on to win the game with a beautiful backhand volley. Encouraged by this, and in spite of an attack of cramp in his thigh and hand, Charanjiva started hitting the ball much harder and following up to the net where his volleys almost invariably produced outright winners, and he won the next three games for the set and match.

The results were:

Singles: A. Madan Mohan (Punjab and Emmanuel) (C) lost to R. H. Tinkler (Benson and Hedges) 4-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-4.

Doubles: J. Charanjiva (Punjab and Emmanuel) and R. Madan Mohan (Punjab and Emmanuel) lost to R. H. Tinkler and R. W. Finnigan (Oxford) 6-2, 6-4, 6-4.

1,000 ENTRIES FOR OLYMPIAD.

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JAPAN SENDS 203.

Los Angeles, May 28. William M. Henry, sports technical director of the Tenth Olympics, said to-day that assurance has been received from ten of the fifteen nations expected to compete in the games here July 30 to August 14 that they will be represented by approximately 1,000 athletes.

This total will exceed 2,000 when the rest of the countries report, Henry said; for some of the leading contenders, including South American nations, have not been heard from.

The Japanese have shown the greatest enthusiasm, Henry said. They plan to have 203 contestants, six of whom arrived to-day. These are equestrians. Eleven schooled horses from Japan arrived several weeks ago.

Italy's Team Numbers 120.

Other nations which have reported as to the probable size of their teams are Italy, 120; Germany and Great Britain, 125 each; France, 76; Mexico, 50; 40 each from Denmark and Finland; 24 from India and 12 from South Africa.

It will be only a matter of days now until the Olympic village, with its complete municipal set-up of fire and police departments, post office, money exchange bureau, amusement centre and dining halls, will start filling up.

(Continued from previous Column.)

Malfroy and Charanjiva (C) beat Frank and R. K. Irons (U.S.A. and Jesus) 6-4, 4-6, 6-3.

Madam Mohan (C) beat Finnigan (6-2, 6-2).

Charanjiva (C) beat Frank (3-6, 6-3, 7-5).

Finnigan (C) beat Vanderspar (6-2, 5-7, 6-0).

Doubles.

Nuthall and Tuckey (C) beat Tinkler and Finnigan (6-4, 6-1).

(Continued in Next Column.)

Nuthall and Tuckey (C) beat de Saram and David (6-0, 6-2).

Home Cricket Scoreboard

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Somersetshire beat Essex by an innings and 74 runs at Leyton, Somerset: 459 (F. Lee 140, J. Lee 109).

Essex: 256 (Pope 115, Hazell 7 for 87); 125 (Hazell 5 for 35).

Yorkshire beat Northamptonshire by an innings and 45 runs at Northampton.

Northants: 89 (Verity 8 for 39); 113 (Macaulay 7 for 68).

Yorkshire: 251 for 6 dec.

Derbyshire took first innings points from Surrey at Chesterfield. Derby: 180 and 186.

Surrey: 83 and 23 for 2.

Lancashire drew with Sussex at Manchester.

Lancashire: 413 (Iddon 201, Butterworth 107).

Sussex: 322 for 5 (K. S. Duleep-sinhji 111).

Notts beat Gloucestershire by 6 wickets at Trent Bridge, Nottingham.

Gloucester: 262 (Hammond 119, Larwood 6 for 79); 94 (Larwood 5 for 58).

Notts: 262 and 95 for 4.

Leicestershire beat Middlesex by 3 wickets at Leicester.

Middlesex: 248 for 90 for 7.

FRIENDLIES.

Oxford University beat H. D. Leveson-Gower's XI, by 10 wickets. L.G.'s XI: 195 and 147.

Oxford: 317 (R. H. J. Brooke 118, Stroud 7 for 92); 29 for no wicket.

Cambridge University drew with the M.C.C. at Lord's.

M.C.C.: 300 (Nawab of Pataudi 112); 230 for 8 dec.

Cambridge: 232 and 182 for 7 (A. G. Hazelrigg 104 not out).

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Woods Completes "Double" For Ireland

Wins Junior and Senior T.T. at Isle of Man

DEATH DARED FOR 3 HOURS

NORTON TRIUMPHS AND GIVES WOODS NEW T.T. RECORD.

Douglas (I.O.M.), June 10.

Stanley Woods, of Dublin, completed a "double" for Ireland to-day when he followed up his victory in the Junior T.T. on Monday by winning the Senior T.T. at the record of 79.38 miles an hour.

Woods won the Senior T.T. in 1926 and was third last year. To-day he outpaced the most talented field that has ever contested a motor-cycling road race. After his victory he was congratulated by Prince George, who had been an interested spectator of the race, and who later presented the trophies.

Conditions were ideal for a very thrilling race. Woods took the lead in the third lap after Simpson had held it, and was never passed. He rode with superb judgment, lapping consistently at 80 m.p.h., and he won by over two minutes from Guthrie.

Simpson, now a veteran, set the pace, and after leading by three seconds on the first of the seven laps broke all records for the course at over 81 m.p.h. Then his clutch-control broke. Handley, most famous of all, threatened the leadership for 100 miles, but he paid the penalty of his infinite daring when he crashed into a ditch, from which he was extricated, suffering from slight injuries. It was a miracle that he was not killed.

Two Miles A Minute.
Though other riders crashed in their breakneck efforts to keep in the vanguard, no one was seriously hurt. Tolley was thrown twenty yards from a skidding machine, and Percy Hunt, who won last year, took a toss at speed, and his machine was wrecked.

For more than three hours the riders dared death almost every minute. The foreign challenge was beaten off with ease, for the first lap was sufficient to prove the superiority of the home riders and machines, but a great fight ensued between England, Scotland, and Ireland.

When Woods went off on his final lap with a comfortable lead of 98 sec., his pursuers made a strong challenge. Their machines leaped from the road as they hit the bumps, and speeds of nearly two miles a minute were reached on the descent from Snaefell. Guthrie passed Simpson to win second place, and Nott only just failed to do so by 6 sec. Result:

H. M. S. M.P.H.
Stanley Woods
(Norton) 3 19 40 79.38
J. Guthrie (Norton) 3 21 59 78.47
J. H. Simpson
(Norton) 3 22 13 78.33

Petrolle Offers Challenge To Canzoneri

New York, June 23.

Tony Canzoneri, world's lightweight champion, to-day signed a contract to defend his title against Billy Petrolle, the Fargo Express, in a 15-round bout on August 8.

Canzoneri won the title from Al Singer in 1930. He twice placed his crown at stake against Jack "Kid" Berg of England and successfully retained it in both contests. He knocked out Berg in their first meeting and the second after a hard fight.

In November, 1930, Kid Chocolate of Cuba made an attempt at the title but was given a beating by Tony.

New York fight fans have looked forward to a Petrolle-Canzoneri fight for a long time. Tony was to have met the Fargo Express in May, but for some reasons the meeting was postponed.

The meeting of the pair should prove one of the best between lightweights in many a year. Both fighters are among the few popular ones performing in this division to-day. They are willing fighters, excellent boxers and possess enough punch to make things interesting.

WIN FOR RADIO.

The Radio Sports Club Hockey XI. beat the 8/9th Jats in their return match on the Marine Ground on Friday afternoon by the narrow margin of a goal to nil. The game was very fast throughout, both teams distinguishing themselves in turn.

THE LAWN BOWLS PROGRAMME.

Civil Servants Visit The Recreio.

CRAIGENGOWER v. CHAMPIONS.

A full Lawn Bowls programme is being staged to-day as follows:

First Division.

Taikoo R.C. v. Police R.C.

Craigengower C.C. v. Kowloon C.C.

Kowloon B.G.C. v. Kowloon Docks Club de Recreio v. Civil Service.

Second Division.

Civil Service v. Taikoo R.C.

Yacht Club v. Club de Recreio.

Kowloon C.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C.

H.K. Electric v. Craigengower C.C.

PROBABLE TEAMS.

K.B.G.C. 1st Team.

R. Duncan, D. W. Phillips, R. S. Nichols, and A. M. Holland (Skip).

C. S. Best, H. F. Stoneham, H. Nish, and W. Russell (Skip).

G. N. Mitchell, A. K. Taylor, J. G. Meyer, and E. W. L. Hobbin (Skip).

K.B.G.C. 2nd Team.

G. H. Sheriff, J. G. Logan, W. E. Hale, and W. S. Drake (Skip).

W. Venables, V. Labrum, V. Petherick, and F. L. Rapley (Skip).

F. V. Whitta, S. Ashworth, T. Gooding, and H. H. Rose (Skip).

Reserves: C. L. Farmer, and C. Hatt.

Taikoo 1st Team.

W. Weir, D. B. Bone, J. Watson, and W. Wotherspoon (Skip).

A. Stalker, J. Polson, J. Russell, and J. Chalmers (Skip).

G. McLeod, J. Sloan, J. B. Chapman, and D. Munro (Skip).

Taikoo 2nd Team.

W. Brown, E. Greenwood, G. H. Stewart, and R. Keown (Skip).

A. MacIndoe, T. Swan, S. Hope, and C. B. Matthews (Skip).

Recreio 1st Team.

J. M. M. Alves, C. A. Lopes, F. X. M. Silva, and C. G. Silva (Skip).

F. A. Xavier, R. R. Robarts, (Skip).

CLUB TO PLAY SOUTH CHINA TO-DAY.

K.C.C. v. I.R.C. Match Postponed.

LEAGUE TENNIS MATCHES.

The Hong Kong Cricket Club and the South China Athletic Association meet to-day in the only "A" Division match in the Hong Kong Tennis League, and an interesting game should ensue with the Club side the probable winners. The Indian R.C. v. Kowloon C.C. match has been postponed until Monday when it will be played at Sookun-poo at 5 p.m.

Twelve other matches are down for decision, the most interesting of which is the "B" Division game between the Chinese R.C. (holders) and South China, and the "C" Division game being the Club de Recreio and the Graduates' Association.

The following is the programme of matches for to-day:

"A" Division.

Hong Kong C.C. v. South China.

"B" Division.

Craigengower v. Hong Kong C.C.

Indian R.C. v. Civil Service C.C.

Club de Recreio v. Army T.C.

Chinese R.C. v. South China.

"C" Division.

South China v. Kowloon C.C.

Indian R.C. v. Chinese R.C.

University v. Hong Kong C.C.

Army T.C. v. Y.M.C.A.

Police R.C. v. Kowloon Indian.

Club de Recreio v. Graduates' A.

Filipino Club v. Radio Sports.

H.K. AREA TENNIS LEAGUE.

Signals Beat Argylls Team by 6-3.

FOURTH VICTORY.

The Royal Corps of Signals defeated "A" Company, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders by 6 sets to 3 in the Kowloon section of the Hong Kong Area Tennis League.

Full scores:

Sig. Convey and Sig. Browne (R.C.S.).

beat Pte. McQueen and

L/Cpl. Pitchford 6-1

beat Sgt. Gordon and Cpl.

Lamont 6-2

beat C. S. M. Dougherty and

Cpl. Hogarth 7-5

Sig. Chaffey and Sig. Cord (R.C.S.).

beat Sgt. Gordon and Cpl.

Lamont 6-4

lost to C. S. M. Dougherty

and Cpl. Hogarth 1-6

beat Pte. McQueen and

L/Cpl. Pitchford 10-8

Sig. Hardy and Sig. Collins (R.C.S.).

lost to C. S. M. Dougherty

and Cpl. Hogarth 3-6

lost to Pte. McQueen and

L/Cpl. Pitchford 2-6

beat Sgt. Gordon and Cpl.

Lamont 6-1

TABLE TO DATE.

Kowloon Area.

	P.	W.	L.	Pts.
"C" Co. Argylls	6	6	0	6
H.K.S.R.A.	4	3	1	3
R.C.S.	6	4	2	4
"A" Co. Argylls	4	2	2	2
31st R.A.	3	1	2	1
20th R.A.	3	1	2	1
"B" Co. Argylls	4	1	3	1
"D" Co. Argylls	4	1	3	1
"H.Q." Co. Argylls	4	0	4	0

Shanghai Greyhound Sets World Record

Queen Anne Covers 400 Yards In 22.21 Seconds

SHANGHAI OWNERS SEND DOGS TO ENGLAND FOR BIG RACES

Shanghai, June 24.

A cable received in Shanghai yesterday morning from G. McKay confirms the fact that Mrs. W. R. McBain and A. Diercking's racing dog, Queen Anne, has established a new world record over 400 yards covering the distance in 22.21 seconds.

This remarkable time was witnessed and is confirmed by Captain N. A. Bott the late manager of Luna Park, who is returning to this city having left England on June 18. The unfriendly end of Luna Park twelve months ago saw a shipment of local greyhounds for England to invade the racing track. Amongst others to go were Queen Anne, Marlow, Kismet, Running Wild, Cleopatra and Reveille, and they were under the care of A. F. Short a Luna Park trainer.

Doubts Expressed.

At the time of their departure from Shanghai many people were sceptical concerning the wisdom of sending Shanghai dogs to England, contending that training and running conditions here would prove detrimental to performances in England in spite of the fact that the times and performances recorded in Shanghai by these dogs more than favourably compared with those of the average winner on any of London's leading tracks.

Queen Anne's Answer. The really remarkable performance put up by Queen Anne in establishing a new world record for 400 yards should silence the critics who predicted nothing but trouble for local dogs in England.

Queen Anne immediately prior to her "easing off," following the closure of Luna Park, was regularly covering 500 yards in under 29 seconds, and 525 yards in 30.50 seconds.

Two Other Possibilities.

A study of the N.G.R.C. Calendar and times being done at Wembley, White City and Harringay, London's three leading tracks, placed Queen Anne far above the average, and with Kismet and Marlow known to be only a shade slower than they may yet justify their owner's faith in their abilities to make good times on the Home courses.

Ruby's End. The unfriendly end of the dog Ruby in quarantine is now deplored more than ever; for surely Ruby might have proved a wonder dog. He met and defeated Queen Anne on several occasions.

Queen Anne's performances in making the 400 yards in such splendid time is all the more pleasing when it is realised that she was competing with some of the best greyhounds racing in England to-day.

Mickey Walker Defeated By Johnny Risko

Cleveland, June 24.

The stock of diminutive Mickey Walker, who has been boomed as a candidate for the heavyweight championship because he held Jack Sharkey to a draw some months ago, fell heavily to-day when Johnny Risko gained a decisive points decision over him after twelve rounds.

Risko had Mickey on the floor in the second round, and led him all the way.

Or it may mean that the whole heavyweight business is on a plane far below the day when Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney were running it.

To-day's fight will probably hinder Walker having another attempt against Sharkey and may install Risko again in the inner circle.

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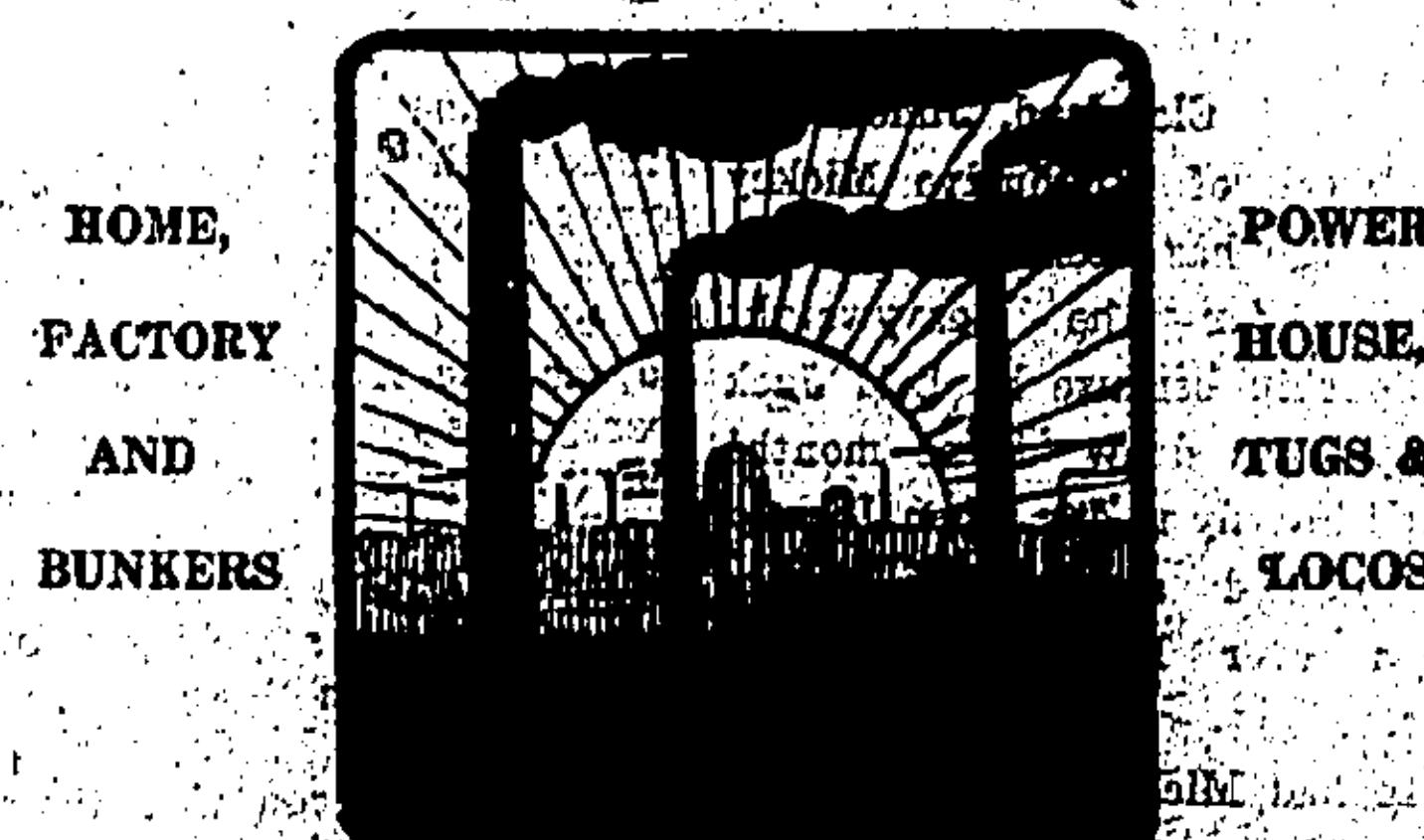
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The China Mail.

Hong Kong, Saturday, July 2, 1932.

Presidential Elections In America.

The selection of Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Governor of New York, as the Democratic candidate for the Presidency of the United States assures a straight-out contest with President Hoover, who must secure the Republican nomination. Roosevelt is favourite, and if it were not for the suspicion that attaches to his candour he would be almost certain of election. His opponents will concentrate their attack on the many slips the Governor has made in his public life, and the many examples they will be able to cite of his having "hedged" on important issues will injure his prospects. On matters such as United States participation in the League of Nations the Democrat leader has repeatedly changed his attitude, and the latest example, on the liquor issue, reflects the character of a political figure who concedes too many points in order to curry public favour. Mr. Roosevelt deliberately dodged the Prohibition issue and refused to make any declaration of policy until the Democratic party decided on a "Wet" plank. In fact his attitude savoured of "running with the hares and hunting with the hounds," and he failed in his efforts to conciliate both Prohibitionists and "Wets." The Democrat delegates, ignoring the lack of leadership, decided the matter themselves and Roosevelt has meekly followed the lead. This aspect of the New York Governor is one of his few failings, and he has many past accomplishments which have gained him a wide measure of popularity. The prestige that attaches to any member of the Roosevelt family is a considerable asset to the Democratic candidate who will also benefit by the recent gains made by the Democrats throughout the nation.

The voting for the nomination was interesting and it is significant that Roosevelt failed to secure a majority at the first ballot. His chief opposition came from his former friend Al Smith, who, as his predecessor in office in New York, had been instrumental in nominating our statesmen when he became Governor of New York.

Wong Hing, a bricklayer of Albin Street, sustained injuries during his removal to the Kwong Wan Hospital, as the result of a fall from a house under repair in Tai Nam Street.

Abdel Amin, walked into a police station here and handed a packet of drugs to the officer in charge.

CONVERSION OF WAR LOAN.

Scheme Praised in
London.

London, Yesterday. Whatever may be the reaction of the three million holders of the War Loan to the conversion scheme, it is welcomed with a chorus of praise by the morning newspapers.

The Morning Post impresses upon the holders their "duty" to accept this bold and simple scheme.

The Daily Mail declares it wise and far-seeing.

The Times says it is great and well-conceived.

The Telegraph pronounces it courageous and well-timed.

Sir George Beharrell, D.S.O., President of the Federation of British Industries, says that the stimulus given by the launching of long term interest rates will be of utmost importance to industry.

The simplicity of the scheme has confounded the City prophets, who anticipated complicated alternatives in view of the magnitude of the sum involved.

Mr. Chamberlain only returned from Lausanne to-day, and sprang a surprise on the House.

The announcement awakened the members into loud cheers from all benches.

Mr. George Lansbury expressed delight that an effort was at last being made to put the enormous debt on a better footing.

All governments since 1929 have anxiously followed the market to choose the proper moment to launch the scheme.

Government printers were summoned to work all night to cope with the tremendous task of printing and posting fifteen million forms in twenty-four hours. — Reuter.

GLADKIH MYSTERY.

Court Refuses to
Exhume.

Shanghai, Yesterday. The application of the French Municipal Police to exhume the body of George Gladkin was rejected to-day by the Chinese Court. They say that the original Chinese verdict regarding Gladkin's death was that it was from natural causes, and that it is still valid. They are still willing for an autopsy to be made but it must be by a Chinese expert. It is explained that this is simply a matter of principle and according to the Rendition Agreement.

A Chinese official has intimated that the expert postmortem examiner might be a foreigner and that the French Municipal Council would be permitted to be present. The examination will take place on Monday or Tuesday probably at the French Municipal morgue and the general public will be admitted.

Fresh complications are seen as the result of this decision of the Chinese authorities. — Reuter.

SWEDISH MATCH COMPANY.

Bitter Criticism of
the Board.

Stockholm, Yesterday. To-day's meeting of the shareholders of the Swedish Match Company closed without the usual vote of thanks to the Directors. Bitter criticism of the Board was made, especially of the Chairman, Mr. Rybeck, who was charged with having hindered all attempts of the Board to gain a thorough knowledge of the company's position.

The public administrators' reorganisation programme was accepted and the balance sheet showing a provisional loss of 26,690,000 Kroner, was adopted with the explicit reserve that it was only formal and did not represent the real position. — Reuter.

PRISON CURE.

Cairo. Abdel Amin, walked into a police station here and handed a packet of drugs to the officer in charge.

Abdel Amin, was admitted to prison.

Abdel Amin, was sent to the mortuary.

LOCAL WEDDING.

Maritime Customs
Officer Weds.

SERAPHINE-BASARGIN.

The wedding was solemnised in St. John's Cathedral yesterday morning of Miss Nadia Basargin, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Basargin of Harbin, to Mr. W. M. Seraphine, of the Chinese Maritime Customs, and son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Seraphine of Montrose, Angus, Scotland. The Dean (Very Rev. A. Swann, M.A., D.S.C.) officiated.

The bride who was escorted to the altar by Mr. S. R. Ambrose, was dressed in heavy white georgette and crepe satin. Her veil was of hand-embroidered Brussels net. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses. Miss Sophie Shirazee, who attended as bridesmaid, wore a dress of Petunia chiffon and a satin picture hat, of Celophane straw. Her bouquet was of pink roses.

Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co. report:—Market steady. Business done: 600,000 shares.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

A.O.F.C. Quotations.

MARKET STEADY.

New York, Yesterday.
Last To-day's Changes
Aver. Aver.

30 Industrials 42.84 44.89 + 1.66
20 Rails 13.43 13.84 + .41
20 Utilities 17.08 17.91 + .83

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Last To-day's
Price Price

Air Reduction 31% 32%
Allied Chemical & Dyes 45% 47%
American Can 32% 33%

American Telegraph &

Telephone 78% 78%

American Tobacco "B" 49 50 1/2%

Auburn 46 48

Border Company 20 21

Canadian Pacific 8% 9 1/2%

Consolidated Gas 85 1/4 88

New York 25 1/2 27 1/2

Drugs, Inc. 25 1/2 27 1/2

Du Pont de Nemours 22 1/2 23 1/2

Eastman Kodak 39 1/2 40 1/2

General Electric 9 1/2 10

General Foods 19 1/2 20 1/2

General Motors 7% 8

International Harvester 11 1/2 11 1/2

International Tel. & Tel. 34 34

Liggett & Myers "B" 89 40 1/2%

Louis' Inc. 15 1/2 15 1/2

Pacific Gas & Electric 19 1/2 19 1/2

Pennsylvania Railway 7 1/2 7 1/2

Radio Corporation 32 32

Sears Roebuck 10 1/2 10 1/2

Standard Oil Company of New Jersey 23 1/2 24 1/2

Soceny-Vacuum Corp. 7 1/2 8 1/2

Union Carbide & Carbon 18 1/2 17

Union Pacific 29 1/2 31 1/2

United Aircraft & Trans.
United States Steel 22 23 1/2

Westinghouse E. & M. 16 1/2 17 1/2

* Denotes ex dividend.

— Reuter.

STUDY OF THE SKIN.

Effect of Sunbathing
and Hiking on Health.

London, May 24.

Sir Ernest Graham-Little delivered a Memorial Lecture, on "Dermatology as an Outpost of Science," at the Royal Society of Arts yesterday. He said that Sir Leonard Hill had recently enunciated the startling thesis that the feminine half of our present generation was very much healthier and even physically stronger than the male half because of the adoption in recent years of female fashions which exposed considerable surfaces of the body to light and air. The ancient Egyptians, Greeks, and Romans were much more alive to the beneficial action of sunlight and cool air upon the skin, paid much more attention to baths and physical exercises, and were much more natural in the simplicity of their foods. The vogue of sunbathing, of spa treatment, of hiking, represented modern rediscoveries of influences much better understood by the ancients than by Europeans of a generation ago.

It was therefore not surprising that the French conception of skin diseases as being in the large majority of cases "cutaneous reactions to general conditions" had in recent years received so great an impetus. The natural corollary of such conceptions was that dermatological eruptions had very often become pointers for the recognition of systematic disorders, of which they were, indeed, only one manifestation. If we excluded from consideration the group of skin diseases due to parasitic infections (and even the parasitic infections, important as they were, were largely influenced and determined by factors of systemic disease), there were singularly few diseases of the skin which had not the closest relation with general causes. The dermatologist's responsibility might be compared with the responsibility of a military outpost which came first into touch with an advancing enemy.

LOVE SECRET OF DEAD PRINCE.

Bukarest, Thursday.

The secret of the fate of Prince Ionel Chica, one of Rumania's leading airmen, who was found dead in his racing car, is believed to have been a beautiful girl of 18.

Her father, a rich business man, is said to have strenuously opposed the match.

The Prince was alone in his racing car when he was discovered dead.

Poisoning is suspected.

While at the races Prince Chica told his friends that he was in love with a girl of 18.

He had been divorced twice.

BISHOP REPLIES TO OPEN LETTER.

Worship Not Taught by Anti-Games Agitation.

London, June 1. The Bishop of Chichester (Dr. Bell) to-day replies to the open letter addressed to him by two Worthing clergymen regarding his attitude towards Sunday cinemas.

The Bishop, in the Diocesan Gazette, writes:

"Since about 1909 cinemas have open on Sunday, and at the present moment they are open not only in London but in 96 other areas. The opening has been discovered to be illegal. . . . That there were very many who wish Parliament to enact a prohibition is true. But it did not seem to us that the Church would be right in supporting this prohibition. We might have kept silent on these subjects, it is true, but we believe that this was an occasion on which the diocese had a right to look for some guidance from its Bishop."

Object of Sunday

"Therefore, we said what we felt. The first object for which Sunday is given is for the worship of God. Multitudes of our countrymen neglect that call, are altogether blind to that necessity.

But we shall not teach them worship by agitating against recreation, games, cinemas. We are much more likely to establish a prejudice the other way. . . ."

MARRIED WOMAN SOLD AS BRIDE.**Cheating Charge.**

Delhi, May 19.

The story of how a young married Brahmin girl of Delhi was remarried for Rs. 3,000 as a Bania maiden was related before Mian Jagdish Singh, Magistrate, First Class, when six accused including the girl and her mother were charged with cheating.

The prosecution story was that one Mohari Lal, a shopkeeper of MacLeodgunj, Bahawalpur State, arrived in Delhi in search of a suitable girl for marriage. By chance he met one of the accused, Mansingh who befriended him. Mohari Lal told Mansingh why he had come to Delhi.

Beautiful Girl.

Mansingh told him he could get a very beautiful girl for him provided he could pay well. Mansingh then introduced Mohari Lal to the accused Gharsi Ram, saying that Gharsi Ram had a niece whom he was prepared to give in marriage. Gharsi Ram took Mohari Lal to his sister and after his sister had an interview with her prospective son-in-law, she told him that she wanted Rs. 4,000 for her daughter Kokila. The girl was shown to Mohari Lal who liked her ultimately the mother was promised Rs. 3,000 which Mohari Lal paid. The marriage was duly celebrated in a commodious bungalow and Mohari Lal took the bride to his home in Bahawalpur State.

Story of Kidnapping.

Soon after reaching there, the girl made a statement that she had been kidnapped by Mohari Lal. She stated before the state police that she was Brahmin girl that her husband was in Delhi and that Mohari Lal was not her husband. Accordingly Mohari Lal was taken into police custody and the State Police asked for details from the Delhi Police. The latter found that the whole marriage was a farce and that the man had been a victim of a gang of crooks. Mohari Lal was acquitted and the persons who are alleged to have duped him were arrested in Delhi and placed before a magistrate. One suspect is absconding.

LONDON SILVER PRICES.

London, Yesterday. Closing silver prices in London to-day were:

June 30. July 1.

Spot 16% 16-11/16

Forward 16-11/16 18%

The London or New York cross rate was quoted at £1—\$62.58.

CANTON EXCHANGE.

Canton Central Bank notes were quoted at the Chinese Exchange here last evening at 165 per cent while Hong Kong dollar notes in exchange for Kwangtung silver were at a premium of 4% for each \$1.00.

WHAT ARE JAPAN'S AIMS?**Noted Writer Discusses Recent Upheavals****Causes of Assassinations And Terrorism****THE MEN WHO RULE IN TOKYO**

(By George E. Sokolsky.)

The struggle in Japan between the politicians and the militarists—a political, economic and at times even a social conflict—reached a climax when a group of military cadets entered the official residence of Ki Inukai, Premier of Japan, and killed him.

"Blood Brothers," bound together by the code of the Samurai, followers of the patriotic priest of the Nichiren sect of Buddhists, Nissho Inouye, these young men represented not only the rising tide of military opposition to corruption and weakness among Japan's politicians, but also the intensified resentment of the Japanese people against government by political parties. These parties, wholly Western in form and therefore contrary to Japanese political traditions, are held responsible for the economic depression at home and political failure abroad. In this complication of differing opinions and ideas looms large the growing conviction in most circles that only by new Japanese orientation in Manchuria can the nation be saved from an economic debacle.

Division of Power.

The struggle between the military and the politicians in Japan is historic. The Japanese Constitution itself gives evidence of the necessity for compromise between them, for it excludes the army and navy from the tendency toward democratic institutions charted in that document by Prince Ito. The army and navy stand out separately from other administrative departments. To fill the post of Minister of War or Minister of Navy, politicians have to bargain with these groups; if they do not, no Cabinet can be formed. In any chart of expression of sentiment by the Japanese people, the army and navy stand close to the top of the scale, only the Emperor and the peers of the blood being higher. The politicians are close to the bottom of the scale in the esteem of the public. Not uncommonly they gain their seats by barter and the bribery of voters, by agreements to serve special interests and causes, often by subventions from mercantile houses hoping for contracts.

To the man in the street the party politician is usually a person to be distrusted.

The military man, on the other hand, appears as a heroic individual whose group has elevated Japan from a small island kingdom of the coast of China to one of the five great powers of the earth. Whereas the politician has often involved Japan in difficulties, the military hero has brought her glory. It can be argued that the politician often has to clean up the mess of military glory; that each war has cost money which had to be borrowed; that the upkeep of the military and naval establishments may be an attendant cause of the depression which has lasted decade; that military intervention in government, not being understood in the Occident, has aroused a universal suspicion of Japan's motives and objectives. But to argue thus is to rationalize beyond the immediate situation, which is that the politicians in Japan grow rich while the people, who elevate them, suffer poverty; that the military men have gained Manchuria, while the politicians have lost Shanghai.

Causes of unrest.

Any consideration of the unrest in Japan must take account of three factors:

First, the long continued economic depression.

Second, the economic structure within the empire.

Third, the psychic effect of Japan's relations with China. It is impossible in this article to treat the depression in detail or schematically. The following examples of depressed conditions have been selected as indicating the general trend:

From 1920 to 1929 Japan's public debt was increased by ten-fold (\$600,000,000), while the

money for the bank to finance industrial enterprises and thus dominate industry. The relationship of the banks to politics gives them a voice in the distribution of government subsidies to industry.

Thus the bankers and industrialists—a small, closely knit group with ownership vested in feudal families but the management recruited from the middle class—exercised a control over the economic life of the country which in times of prosperity is popular but which, during periods of depression, is resented.

Into this atmosphere of discontent and depression entered the aggravated Chinese problem. Baron Shidehara's policy of conciliation was never popular, but events during the Summer of 1931 aroused mass opinion to a keener opposition.

Then came the Manchuria adventure, which appealed to the people's emotions. This was offset later by the agreement settling the Shanghai incident and the decision to withdraw Japanese troops from that city. As objectionable as that agreement may have been to the Chinese, to the Japanese it has had the mortifying effect of a loss of face.

II—Targets of Attack.

Resentment in Japan, due to these various causes, has become articulate in the heaping of blame upon the politicians, bankers and industrialists.

Before Japan became a modern nation, the politician, that is the civilian public official, was not an important individual. As secretary, treasurer or agent of the feudal lord, he was an assistant to and a satellite of a military personage. The Emperor Meiji elevated him to high rank and social prestige by employing him in the reconstruction of modern Japan. The genius of Prince Ito, Marquis Okuma, Marquis Inouye, Viscount Shibusawa, Prince Saboji, Prince Matsukata and other civilians produced modern Japan. Prince Ito and Prince Saito both believed in party government, and political parties came into existence early in modern Japanese history, but it was not until fourteen years ago that party government was achieved.

Trade with China in 1930 fell 31 per cent. below that of 1929. The year 1931 represented a decrease of 22 per cent. under 1930. Whereas in 1930 exports to China fell 25 per cent. in 1931 they fell 40 per cent. The Sino-Japanese war brought trade between the two countries to a standstill for many months during 1931 and 1932.

Since 1925, agricultural and forestry products in Japan have declined in value from yen 4,810,000 to yen 2,250,000,000. The American commercial attaché in Tokyo estimates that the average Japanese farmer nets only between yen 100 and yen 180 (\$50 to \$90) a year, after paying off loans, equipment, fertilizer, &c. Rice for a year and a half has been selling below cost.

Laws limiting the importation of rice were imposed after the bumper crop year of 1930, but the suffering of the Japanese peasant remained intense. Although the price of rice rose last year, he was without genuine relief. His crop was very short and he had to pay a percentage of it in rents. As the peasant represents 40 per cent of the population, his distress affects the entire economic structure.

Taxes in Japan are high. The adventure in Manchuria and Shanghai has made their reduction impossible.

These few figures suffice to paint

in the background of the depression. Although unemployment figures are not so large as in the United States, they are high enough for Japan. The social system there absorbs the unemployed, but there is a limit to the capacity of an enlarged family for feeding itself.

Concentration of Wealth.

Stimulating discontent in Japan is a concentration of wealth such as no other country knows. A few firms dominate the entire economic life of the country. Mitsui, Mitsubishi, Yasuda, Sumitomo, Okura—these and a few others have

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economic structure in Japan. They

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nation; they employ the Japanese

proletariat in their factories, mills

and mines. They give work to

the "white-collar" elements in their

offices and banks. In recent years

they have often manipulated the

political life of the nation.

Although Japan has a central

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What Are Japan's Aims?

(Continued from Page 7.)

It is absurd to speak of militarists in Japan as party. They are in all parties and many military men belong to none. The Minseito has military adherents; the Selyukai abounds with them; younger officers appear among the new Fascist groups; it is even possible that some cadets are secret proletarians.

After all, military men are usually middle-class persons who reflect their nominal environment and who have associations, by birth, marriage and education, which precede their joining the army and continue through life.

The military officer in Japan, however, belongs to a distinct class. He retains a specific code of individual and national honour and chivalry, Bushido. Naturally, as a military man, he glorifies speed and directness. He finds the legalistic, argumentative processes of democratic control slow and tedious.

To these must be added the Nippon Saisanto (Japan Production party), which has both a socialistic and a nationalistic policy. This party is dominated by the personality of Ryohi Chida, a Ronin leader, second only in influence among these free and uncontrollable persons to the great Mitsuru Toyama. It constitutes a bridge between intellectual fascism and the masses, even the submerged proletariat who are often Communists. Although to the Roninkai everything modern is anathema, yet these relationships point to socialism, which is a modern idea in Japan. So here too there is an ideological confusion, to be explained only by the fact that when human beings are hungry they think of many ways to fill their stomachs, Hope in Manchuria.

The Army and Politics.

When Prince Yamagata headed the army, he, as its organizer, could dominate it. Baron General Tanaka, his successor to leadership, turned in his later years to politics, joined the Selyukai, became its President and served a term as Premier. Since Tanaka's death the army has been without astute and effective political leadership. The older Generals have tended to follow the politicians, often priding themselves on their freedom from what, for a better word, might be called "militarism." But the younger men have asked themselves the searching question, "Whither Japan?"—a question which each answers according to his predisposition and his lights.

So, while the military discipline of the Japanese Army remains unimpaired the officer personnel reflects the discontent of the masses and supports them in their demands for a "purification" of political and economic life.

In support of the army stand Roninkai movements, which represent the thought of traditional Japan. These elements, which sometimes are called Fascists and at other times National Socialists, find a solution for all of Japan's problems in the feudal code of the Samurai.

Yet, so confused is this type of thinking backward that it has led its votaries not to the Japan of the Shoguns but to an limitation of current Italian and Russian forms. This curious political phenomenon perplexes the average Japanese statesman, who cannot follow the so-called militarist-Fascist elements in Japan. They fear that the Japanese politician, seeking to use the new situation for party advantage, may produce only more corruption and a mess and it was for that reason that the military protested against the resignation of the competent and broad-minded Count Uchida from the presidency of the South Manchuria Railway.

Here, then, is the key to an understanding of the present crisis in Japan. Overlaid, as all political action is, by extraneous, matter, by oratory and whimsical activities of emotional, often even hysterical individuals, the struggle between politicians and military men, between National Socialist and democratic capitalist, even between Communist and Fascist when they differ or when they labour together, is to find a formula to end the depression in Japan and to prevent Japan's gains in Manchuria from being triftered away.

These new forces do not encourage broader democracy, but rather would shift the centre of power from the capitalists to the National Socialists, who are, after all, themselves politicians. While the capitalists and politicians are united in purpose, the new groups have mixed motives and objectives. Neither side is rich in leadership.

The most dramatic personality among the newest elements—the priest, Niicho Inouye—is in prison. The Fascist leader—the peer, Baron Hiranuma—is not a man of action. Shumei Okawa, the theorician of Japanese fascism, is a renowned Sinologue and a great authority on economic conditions in East Asia, but he will lead no Black Shirts on Tokyo.

If adequately fed, the new movements might become a menace to the Japanese capitalists. At present, they can only fall back on occasional assassinations and isolated, sporadic disorders, depending upon the power of the army and navy to resist the politicians by refusing to nominate Minister of War and a Minister of Navy.

III—The New Hopes. The Japanese people, then, seek action! They admire the military as men of action, and this support is accentuated by weariness with the depression and the failure of the politicians and capitalists to bring relief.

ly by some drastic method. Foremost among these is the Kokuhonsha (the State Foundation Society), consisting principally of intellectuals, led by Baron Hiranuma and provided with its ideology by Okawa. Another organization is the Kohusukai (Essence of National Culture Association), which curiously enough is led by Suzuki, the new President of the Selyukai, who is now forming a Cabinet. This society includes proletarian elements and often resorts to violence during elections. A third group, the Jimmu-ka, is named after Japan's first Emperor. It has no known leader but includes many young military and naval officers.

None of these societies is revolutionary; each is essentially reactionary. The feature common to all of them is dissatisfaction with party politics, and an insistence upon a reform of government on the basis of Oriental ideas, particularly the ethics of old Japan.

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Hiroshi Maru No. 3, Japanese str., 665 tons, Capt. Y. Okada, from Keeling, Yaumati Anchorage, M.B.K.

Kasugasan Maru, Japanese str., 1,425 tons, Captain M. Suzuki, from Miike, Yaumati Anchorage, M.B.K.

Trier, German, str., 5,401 tons, Capt. J. Jachens, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf, Melchers & Co.

Sunning, British str., 1,570 tons, Capt. F. M. Booth, from Swatow, buoy No. B20—B. & S.

Glen shane, British str., 4,011 tons, Capt. F. P. Creek, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf, J.M. & Co.

Golden River, American str., 3,817 tons, Capt. J. W. Giffin, from Borongan, P.I., buoy No. A5—States & Co.

Hinsang, British str., 1,885 tons, Capt. L. H. Hutchings, from Sandakan, buoy No. B22—J.M. & Co.

Huichow, British str., 1,200 tons, Capt. A. H. Bathurst, from Canton, buoy No. C2—B. & S.

Friday, July 1. Burmese Maru, Japanese str., 2,819 tons, Captain S. Shirai, from Moji, Stonecutters Anchorage, O.S.K.

Danmark, Danish str., 5,342 tons, Capt. A. Rasmussen, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf, John Manners & Co.

Gustav Diderichsen, Danish str., 1,858 tons, Capt. J. Jacobsen, from Hoitow, buoy No. B9—Chin Seng Hong.

Hai Hing, Norwegian str., 1,445 tons, Capt. Olaf S. Olsen, from Swatow, buoy No. C8—Thoresen & Co.

Kalapoi, British str., 1,247 tons, Capt. R. Creer, from Canton, Stonecutters Anchorage, Williamson & Co.

Kaisar-I-Hind, British str., 6,018 tons, Capt. W. A. Croth, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf, M.M. & Co.

Kingyuan, British str., 1,546 tons, Capt. J. W. Jenkins, from Canton, buoy No. B14—B. & S.

Ningpo, British str., 1,228 tons, Capt. D. Brothie, from Amoy, buoy No. C4—B. & S.

Rantau Pandjang, Dutch str., 1,501 tons, Capt. J. Weber, from Mojii, buoy No. A9—J.C.J.L.

Tjondari, Dutch str., 5,019 tons, Capt. P. Meesman, from Tg. Pandan, buoy No. A8—J.C.J.L.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS

The E. & A. s.s. Nellore left Manila for this port on June 30 (Thursday), with the outward English Mails, and is due here to-day. The R.M.S. Empress of Asia arrived at Kobe on June 30 (Thursday), at 4 p.m., left Kobe on June 30 (Thursday), at 2 p.m., and is due at Nagasaki yesterday at 5 p.m. She leaves Nagasaki to-day at 4 a.m.

CLEARANCES

Thursday, June 30. Baron Lovat, for Canton.

Dell Maru, for Swatow.

Fulda, for Manila.

Hydrangea, for Swatow.

Kuangchow, for Swatow.

Lushan Maru, for Canton.

Mantu, for Shanghai.

Michael Jebsen, for Bangkok.

Norvikken, for Canton.

Penang, Maru, for Singapore.

Sipriko, for Canton.

Trier, for Shanghai.

Van Heutsz, for Singapore.

Friday, July 1. Burma Maru, for Singapore.

Chak sang, for Canton.

Concordia, for Tarakan.

Daian Maru, for Keeling.

Empress of Japan, for Shanghai.

Everett, for Manila.

Forthbridge, for Shanghai.

Golden River, for S. Francisco.

Graciosa, for Bangkok.

Hai Hing, for Singapore.

Hiroshi Maru No. 3, for Takao.

Huichow, for Foochow.

Haiyang, for Swatow.

Kingyuan, for Hoitow.

Saku Maru, for Queng Yen.

Sunning, for Canton.

Sirdhana, for Amoy.

Yuensang, for Swatow.

Totals follow:

HARBOUR OFFICE.

Good Freight Figures Returned.

The Harbour Office Reports for the 24 hours ended 9 a.m. yesterday gave a free movement of vessels with a high tonnage. Freights were up to the mark, both the inwards and throughs reaching five figures. The tonnage entered was 34,129.

There were 10 inward registries, of which four were British and six of four figures, while of the 10 throughs, four were British and five of four figures.

Passengers entered during the period included 88 Europeans and 2,673 Asiatic deck, British vessels carrying 502 out of the total in all classes.

Details follow:

Arr. HKong Dep. Through Nationality	Cargo Tons	Cargo Tons
British	5,325	6,139
German	1	3,540
Dutch	2,327	1,135
Danish	1,132	1,489
Norwegian	3,10,764	800
Japanese	286	3,455
Chinese	—	2
French	—	1
American	—	1
Totals	13	20,774
	15	15,917

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

INWARD MAIIS.

SATURDAY, JULY 2. Shanghai and Swatow.

Australia and Manila.

SUNDAY, JULY 3. Shantung.

Japan.

MONDAY, JULY 4. Bokuyo Maru.

Manila.

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S.S.	Tons	From Hong Kong About	Destination.
KAISARI-HIND	12,000	1932. 2nd July Noon	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
†+BHUTAN	6,000	9th July	Bombay, Marseilles, London, Havre, H'burg, R'dam, Antwerp & Hull.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	16th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
MANTUA	11,000	30th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
†+SOUDAN	6,800	6th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles, London, Havre, H'burg, R'dam, Antwerp & Hull.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	18th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RANIPURA	17,000	27th Aug.	Marseilles, London, Havre, Hamburg.
†+BURDWAN	6,500	3rd Sept.	Marseilles, London, Antwerp & Hull.
MALWA	11,000	10th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RANCHI	17,000	24th Sept.	Marseilles, London, Havre, Hamburg.
†+SOMALI	6,800	1st Oct.	Marseilles, London, Antwerp & Hull.
CARTHAGE	14,000	8th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
NALDERA	16,000	22nd Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
†+BANGALORE	6,500	29th Oct.	Marseilles, London, Havre, Hamburg.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.

* Cargo only. † Calls Casablanca. ‡ Calls Djibouti.

Frequent connection from Port Said for Passengers and Cargo to Constantinople, Piraeus, Smyrna and other Levant Ports by steamers of the Khedivial Mail Steamship Co.

BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS.

	1932.		
TAKADA	7,000	11th July	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
SIRDHANA	8,000	24th July	
TILAWA	10,000	8th Aug.	

APC Line steamers have excellent accommodation for 1st and 2nd class passengers.

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (South).

	1932.		
NANKIN	7,000	2nd July 4 p.m.	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney & Melbourne.
NELLORE	7,000	20th July	
TANDA	7,000	2nd Sept.	

Regular monthly sailings from Hong Kong to Shanghai and Japan and Hong Kong to Australia.

Hong Kong to Sydney—19 days.
Frequent connections from Australia with the following:

The Union S.S. Company's steamers to the United Kingdom via New Zealand, Vancouver, San Francisco, etc.

The P. & O. Royal Mail Steamers to London and

The P. & O. Branch Service of steamers to London via Bush.

The New Zealand Shipping Company's steamers for Southampton and

London via Panama Canal.

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN.

Cheap Summer Trips to Japan — June to Sept.

	1932.		
NELLORE	7,000	4th July Noon	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.
TILAWA	10,000	14th July	Anoy, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
RAVALPINDI	17,000	14th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
†+KASHMIR	9,000	14th July	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
†+BURDWAN	6,500	27th July	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
TALMA	10,000	28th July	Anoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
RANIPURA	17,000	28th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
HANDA	7,000	5th Aug.	Shai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.
SANTHIA	8,000	11th Aug.	Anoy, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
MALWA	11,000	11th Aug.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
†+SOMALI	6,500	23rd Aug.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
TAKAD	7,000	25th Aug.	Anoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
RANCHI	17,000	25th Aug.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
SIRDHANA	8,000	8th Sept.	Anoy, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
CARTHAGE	14,000	9th Sept.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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RAJPUTANA	17,000	6th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.

* Cargo only.

All dates are approximate and subject to alteration without notice.
All Cabins are fitted with Electric Fans or Punkah Louvre Systems.
Meals are on London and Australian Lines and fitted with Electric Fans measuring not more than 5 cu. ft. will be received at the Company's Office up to Noon on the day previous to sailing.

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CHANNEL FOG S.O.S.

Steamer's Passengers Taken Off by Lifeboat.

London, May 15.
During a dense fog in the Channel last evening the British steamer Roumelian, bound from London to Alexandria, and the French steamer St. Nazaire came into collision twenty miles off the Needles. The Roumelian was badly holed on the starboard side and sent out S.O.S. messages saying she was in danger of sinking.

Two Isle of Wight lifeboats—the motor lifeboat from Yarmouth and the sailing lifeboat from Brook—put out.

Among the crew of the Brook Lifeboat was Major-General J. E. B. Seely, the ex-Secretary of State for War. He is a regular member of the crew.

The Yarmouth boat found the disabled steamer about six miles of the Needles, her main hold flooded and all her boats swung out ready for the crew to leave.

She was able, however, to make progress under her own steam, and after the Yarmouth boat, at the request of the captain, had taken off four passengers—two men and two women—the Roumelian continued to make her way slowly up the Solent towards Southampton.

The St. Nazaire is understood to have escaped with minor damage to the forepeak.

The Roumelian, 2,687 tons, is owned by the Ellerman Lines.

Mr. W. Cotton, coxswain of the Yarmouth lifeboat, told a Daily Express representative after the rescue that the search for the Roumelian was one of the most difficult he has had for some years.

"The whole Channel was shrouded in fog," he said, "and we were searching for four hours before we eventually heard the Roumelian's sirens and saw her distress signals."

Pumps at Full Force.

"When we discovered her she was lying awash aft. She had been very badly holed and there was grave danger of her sinking at one time. The pumps were working at full force while the ship's carpenters attempted to effect temporary repairs.

"The four passengers were on the foredeck and we took them into the lifeboat over the bows of the Roumelian.

"The captain of the Roumelian told his crew of fifty men that if any of them wished to return to the shore in the lifeboat they could do so, but they one and all agreed to stay on board.

"We landed the four passengers at Yarmouth, where they were looked after in local hotels for the night. They were rather unnerved by their experience."

YOUNG PASSENGERS

Good Accommodation on Bibby Line.

We feel sure that all parents travelling out of home will be glad to learn that several improvements have been made on the Bibby Line for the care and comfort of children.

All the ships have now been fitted with comfortable and well ventilated playrooms on the promenade deck whereas, in some of these were formerly on the main deck near the dining saloon. These playrooms can now all be entered from an inside alleyway so there is no chance in bad weather of children getting wet on their way to and fro.

A stewardess is definitely detailed for the duty of looking after the children at meal times and also while the parents are in the saloon having their own meals. This will materially assist mothers travelling with children and unaccompanied by a nurse.

The children's meals have also been carefully considered. At the commencement of each voyage the Chief Steward, in consultation with the parents, draws up menus in accordance with the requirements but if any child needs a diet varying from that desired by the mothers, this can be readily obtained provided reasonable notice is given to the Chief Steward.

Arrangements for the berthing of nurse and amahs have also been brought into line with the latest ships.

Altogether, the difficulties of the mother travelling with one or more children have been removed as far as possible as well as adding to the comfort of the children themselves.

ROYAL MAIL REGROUPING

Moratorium Until End Of 1934.

The scheme for the reorganisation of the Royal Mail Steam Packet group's affairs has again been before the Courts.

Mr. Justice Eve, in the Chartered Division sanctioned an arrangement providing the regrouping of the 15 companies comprising the group and securing a moratorium until the end of 1934. During that time the Treasury, or the Northern Ireland Government, should take no steps against the subsidiary companies to enforce payment in respect of secured loans or issues of securities which they have guaranteed, but may enforce payment out of the earnings of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company itself.

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HONG KONG TIDES.

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July 2 to 8, 1932.

TO AMERICA IN AN OPEN BOAT.

Lone Voyage Leaves Wellington.

Wellington. As quietly and unostentatiously as he arrived, Mr. Fred Rebelle resumed his voyage from Sydney to Los Angeles, via Suva, Samoa and Tahiti. He arrived here in his small 18 ft. boat Elaine, without papers of any description and did not think it necessary to obtain any clearance when he left.

"I don't bother about these sort of things," he remarked. "I just come and go."

When Mr. Rebelle arrived at Suva after two months' voyage from Sydney he decided that one or two alterations would be desirable. He renewed the centreboard, which had been carried away, and covered in part of the stern of the boat with thickly-oiled material.

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Very few people saw the tiny craft depart. As quietly as she arrived, the Elaine slipped out through the reef passage in the grey light of early morning. A white speck of sail-cloth held the eye for a brief space, then gradually merged into the vast expanse of blue sky and sapphire sea.

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Long Ago Stories

Blodwen and the Good Stones

Blodwen was all alone. There had been a battle between the Romans and the Welsh, and Blodwen's people had been vanquished and those who remained carried away as captives. Blodwen had escaped to the mountains, and there she had lived all the Summer, eating the wild fruit. But when she felt the breath of winter in the air, she knew she must think out some plan for the future.



Blodwen began to dance in that dangerously narrow place."

"I will not go to the Romans," she thought. "I will walk across the mountains and see if the people are friendly on the other side."

She was only fourteen years old, but she was very brave. She had made herself a bow and some arrows, and she carried a sling and a bag of small round stones. Blodwen did not think it strange for a girl to fight in battle. She was wild as the winter winds, with her black hair all

matted and her old sheep-skin flapping round her bare legs. She was not afraid of wolves or Romans, but she did not like the dangerous ledges on the mountain side where she thought the spirits lived.

Well, she walked all day, and at dusk she came upon a narrow path clinging to the side of a cruel rock, with a terrible dip down into a ravine and great stones scattered everywhere.

"Some terrible spirit dwells here," thought Blodwen, "but I must pass. What shall I do to make it kind to me? I will dance to it."

So she put her weapons on the ground, and, venturing a little way along the ledge, she began to dance in that dangerously narrow place.

"Kind spirits," she murmured as she danced, — but she thought they were very cruel, "do not push me into the dark ravine below; do not throw a storm over me; see how badly I dance compared with you who have the grace of all the flames of fire, but I am only poor Blodwen at your mercy."

She danced for a long time, going as near to the edge of the path as she dared. And when she thought the spirit must be touched, she went to her skin bag and emptied out all the beautiful little round stones she had collected to use in her sling. They were good stones, and she loved them because they protected her; but so did the spirits, therefore she made a gift of them to that dangerous place.

"Take my good stones," she murmured.

Then she walked along that rough and terrible path. In the morning she reached the valley where Welsh people greeted her kindly. But they seemed puzzled, and asked her how she had dared to pass the abode of the mountain spirits.

"I danced to them, and gave them my good stones," she replied. "They let me pass safely."

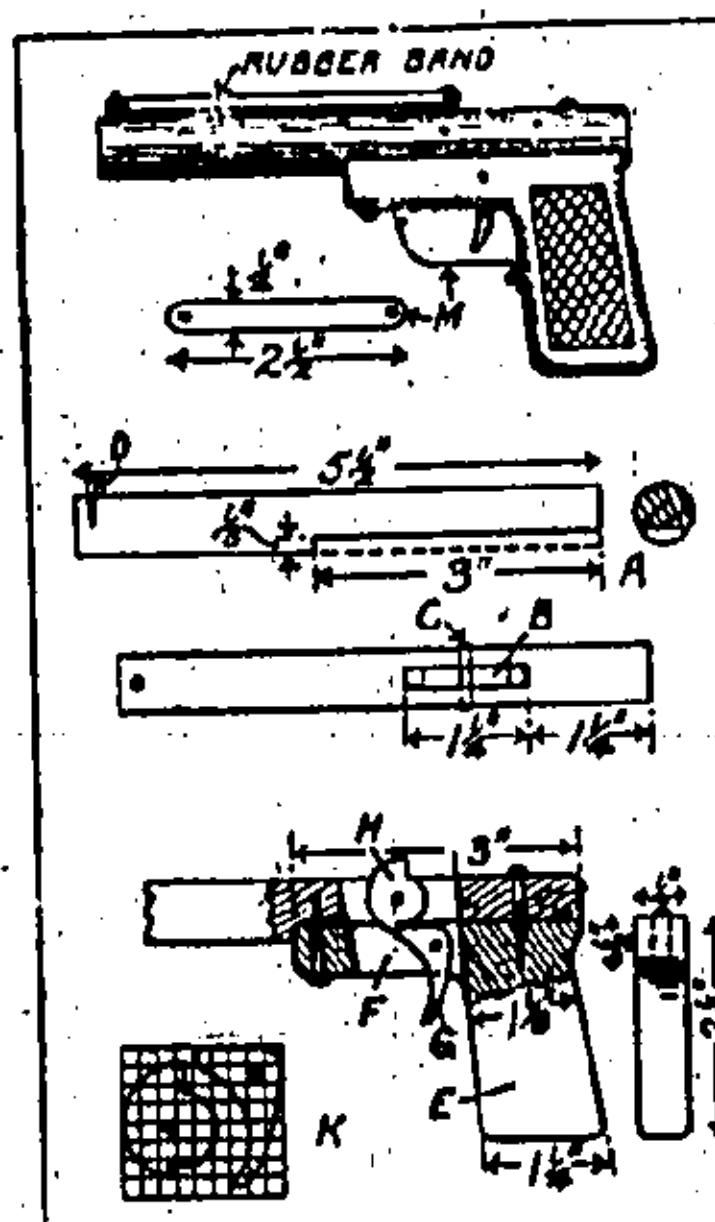
And even to-day there are mountain people who give stones to the spirits when they pass by dangerous places.

THE TINKITES' TOYSHOP.

Making a Toy Pistol.

Here is a novel toy pistol which is made chiefly from odd pieces of wood. As it only "fires" rubber bands, it is quite harmless.

For the barrel, cut a piece of five-eighths-inch dowel rod, five and a half inches long. For a distance of three inches from one end, chisel a flat part, as shown in A. Mark the position of the slot B, and cut this out by first making two holes with a Bradawl and then removing the wood between with a fret-saw. Through the sides of the barrel, across the slot, bore a hole to take a pivot pin, C, which can be made from a



If you take a little trouble, and read Carpenter's instructions carefully, you can make a toy pistol like this.... it only "fires" Rubber bands.

smooth round nail with the end cut off. The foresight, D, is simply a small screw with the head cut off.

Cut the butt, E, from a piece of half-inch wood, to the sizes given in the diagram. With a chisel and glass paper round off all the corners, with the exception of the two top edges where the wood fits against the barrel. Now cut out the slot F to the same width as the one in the barrel; screw the two parts together, as indicated, and smooth the insides of the slots with a thin file.

To make the trigger, G, and the catch-plate, H, obtain a small piece of oak, three-sixteenths of an inch thick and about one-and-a-half inches square, and mark it out in one-eighth-inch squares, as in diagram K. Care-

WHENCE CAME "WILD-GOOSE CHASE"?

You often use the expression: "Wild-goose Chase", but I wonder if you know WHY a chase that leads nowhere should be so called?

Actually, it has its meaning in the peculiar flight of wild geese who follow one another as children do in "follow-my-leader". But WE use the expression because, before the days of fox-hunting, horsemen used to elect a leader and then simply follow him—like wild geese—one behind the other, wherever he cared to lead them.

Later, these horsemen, in search of an interesting game that would give them plenty of jumping, conceived the idea of chasing a steeple—that is to say, going straight across country in a bee-line towards some distant church steeple. From this game, of course, came our steeple-chases.

The difference between the steeple-chase and the wild-goose chase was that the former had a goal—the church-steeple—and the latter had no goal at all! The wild-goose game stopped as soon as the leader or his horse got tired.

Why not try a running steeple-chase instead of a paper-chase, or, better still, a wild-goose chase behind some chosen leader? It would be great fun!

fully mark the outlines of the two parts, and cut them out with a fret-saw after boring the two holes for the pivot pins.

The trigger and catchplate have to engage with each other as shown in the diagram, and they must be an easy fit in slot F. If they fit too tightly, rub the sides of each on glasspaper. Make sure that the holes in these parts are an easy fit for the pins, and then fix them in position so that the nose of the trigger just catches the little notch on the catchplate H. The trigger guard M, is made from a thin strip of tin bent to shape and screwed in place as shown in the top diagram.

To "load" the pistol, stretch a small rubber band (about one and a half inches long and one-eighth-inch wide) over the foresight D, and the nose of the catchplate, as shown in the top diagram. The pull of the rubber will keep the trigger set till it is pressed with the finger. This releases the catchplate and causes the rubber band to be shot forward with a catapult action.

The Hut Carpenter.

WENDY'S LITTLE NEEDLEWOMEN.

The Red Indian Doll.

A Red Indian Doll will be a great attraction on the Bazaar Toy Stall. Use a dark brown stocking to make the doll, which is stuffed and put together just like the Chinese and Peasant dolls we told you about. Little "Laughing Water" should have jet-black wool hair, black shoo-minton eyes, and nose and lips worked in red wool.

Laughing Water wears trousers and tunic of light brown material. The trousers are cut like Diagram B—you have to cut two pieces—and the sides and inner leg seams are joined together. Make a casing round the top, through which you can thread an elastic, and then cut up the ends of the trouser-legs to fringe them in the true Red-skin fashion.



Another doll for the Bazaar stall—a Red Indian one this time. Dressmaker explains how it is made.

The tunic is cut Magyar-like Diagram A, with little straight sleeves added each side. Join these on to the arm-holes, then join the side seams, and run a draw-thread round the neck. Fringe the ends of skirt and sleeves to match the trousers, put the garment on the doll, and pull the draw-thread up to fit the neck closely. Then, with some strings if gay beads, and a coloured band round her head, with a bright feather stuck in at the back, Laughing Water is nearly dressed.

Her tiny moccasins supply the finishing touch. If you wedge her stump toes into them, and secure them with a few stitches, they will keep on quite well. To make each shoe, cut a sole, like Diagram C, from felt, and then stitch a strip of one-inch wide coloured braid all round, like Diagram D. Join up the two little short edges at the back, and run a gathering-thread round the top. When you pull this up, like Diagram E, you'll find you have a pretty little shoe to complete Laughing Water's costume.

Wendy's Dressmaker.

THE FAIRY PIPER MAN.

Oh, sometimes in the dawning, when the World is very still, You can hear the softest music steal across the far-off Hill. So sweet and low, yet crystal-clear, it floats into the air. And you know the Fairy Piper-man is playing somewhere there!

The Hut Carpenter.

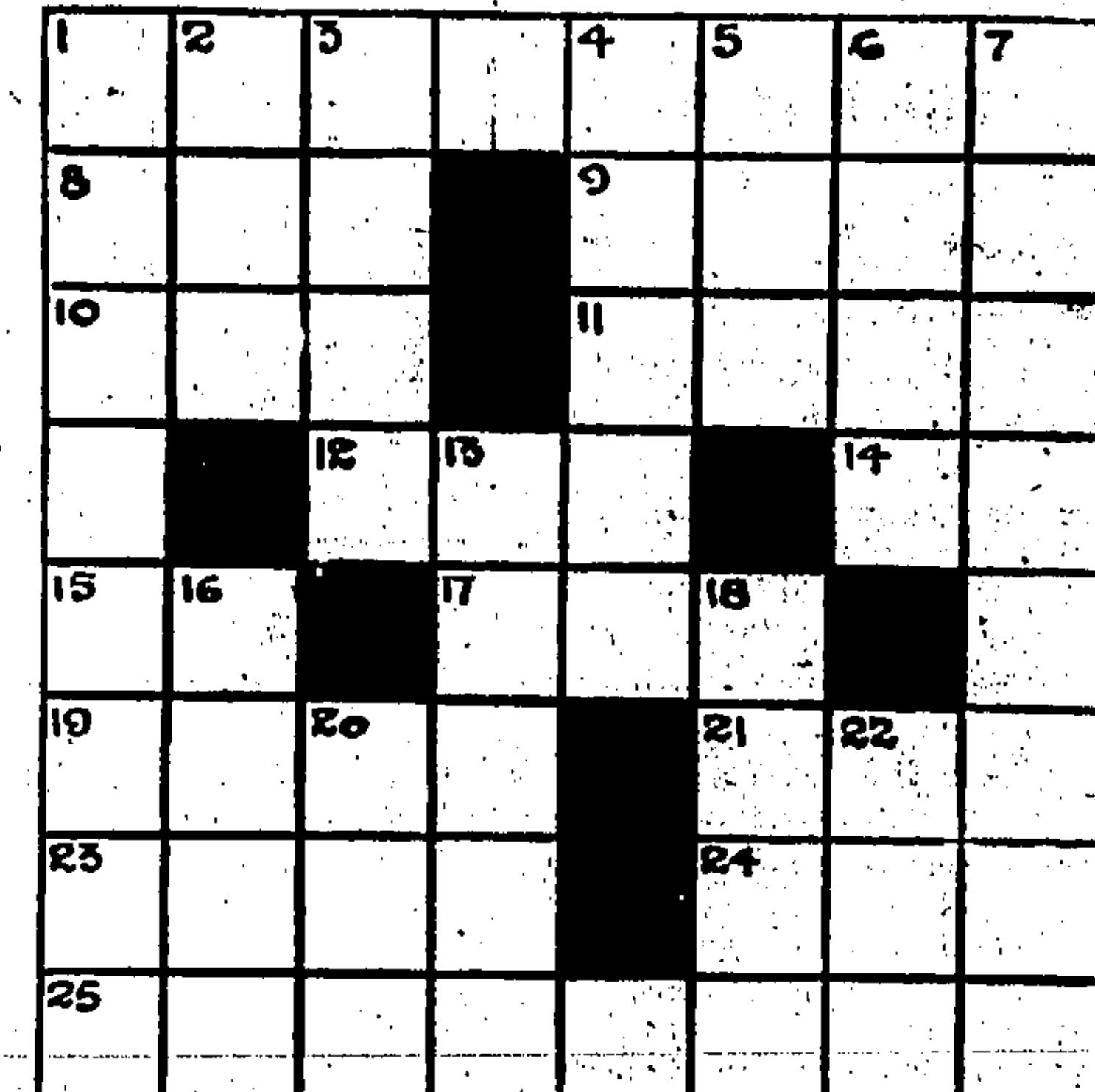
TINK'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

Solution to last week's puzzle:

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| 1. You and I | (We). |
| 3. Open country space | (Heath). |
| 7. Help | (Avail). |
| 9. Pronoun | (He). |
| 10. Keep in mind | (Remember). |
| 12. Cunning | (Sly). |
| 13. Animal | (Ass). |
| 16. Makes believe | (Pretends). |
| 19. Short for "account" | (Ac.). |
| 20. Praise highly | (Extol). |
| 21. Subject | (Theme). |
| 22. Compass point | (NE). |

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| Down. | |
| 1. Room in a hospital, etc. | (Ward). |
| 2. Lived in the Garden of Eden (Eve). | (Hie). |
| 3. Hurry | (Elms). |
| 4. Trees | (They). |
| 5. Pronoun | (Her). |
| 6. Another Pronoun | (Amuse). |
| 8. Entertain | (Blunt). |
| 11. Not sharp | (Arch). |
| 13. Curved structure | (Stem). |
| 14. Stalk | (Isle). |
| 15. Island | (Pat). |
| 16. Tap | (Exe). |
| 17. River in Devon | (Don). |
| 18. Put on | |

This week's problem is a little more difficult, but I think you will manage it if you try.



Clues:

(Continued from previous Column.)

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|---|---|
| 1. Found out. | Across |
| 3. Beam of light. | 8. Beam of horse-back. |
| 5. Go. | 10. Blunder. |
| 6. Monkeys. | 11. Tree. |
| 7. Tree. | 14. Negative. |
| 8. Stuffs. | 15. Short for 'doctor'. |
| 9. Point. | 17. Serpent. |
| 10. Garden of the Bible. | 19. Fruit. |
| 11. Forsaken. | 21. Girl's name. |
| 12. Breast too. | 23. Employ. |
| 13. Rope for catching cattle. | 24. Encountered. |
| 14. Ascend. | 25. Refreshing drink. |
| 15. American lion. | Dowm |
| 16. Jewel. | 1. Terrible. |
| 17. Boy's name (abbreviated). | 2. Spike of corn. |
| 18. Cut this out, and send it to Tinker Bell, c/o The Editor, China Mail. | 3. Part of a wheel. |
| 19. The Blackbird learns his song from him, and Robin Red-breast too. | 4. Stuffs. |
| 20. And, Children — when you're feeling sad, just wipe your tears away, | 5. Point. |
| 21. They listen for the magic pipes, and they will make you gay! | 6. Garden of the Bible. |
| 22. Cut this out, and send it to Tinker Bell, c/o The Editor, China Mail. | 7. Forsaken. |
| 23. Well, well, take a walk, you need some fresh air. | 13. Rope for catching cattle. |
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A good illustration of the manner in which the blind goddess can be foiled is said to be presented in a graphic manner in "The Silent Witness," the new Fox picture, dealing with such a case, opening at the King's Theatre next Sunday.

In this instance, the supposed murderer, though really innocent, actually believes that he committed the crime. Yet when his father, who had not the slightest connection with the murder, insists on standing trial for it, the jury comes within a hair's breadth of convicting the father for a crime that the son only thinks he committed!

Lionel Atwill plays the dramatic role of the father, a role which he created on the Broadway stage. Bramwell Fletcher, who likewise appeared in the stage play, enacts the role of the son and Greta Nissen portrays the role of the false wanton who is murdered. Others in the exceptionally fine cast include Helen Mack, one of the three Fox Debutante stars of 1931, Weldon Heyburn, Herbert Mundin, Mary Forbes, Montague Shaw, Wyndham Standing and Billy Bevan.

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4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
7-11.30 p.m.—European Programme.

7-9.30 p.m.—A Programme of Columbia records kindly supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

7 p.m.—Mail Notice, etc.

7.3-7.48 p.m.—Operatic.

Orchestral—

Mignon—Overture (Thomas),

Milan Symphony Orchestra 9759.

Song—Lucia di Lammermoor—Cover with

Bitter Tears (Donizetti),

Lucia di Lammermoor—Mad Scene (Donizetti),

A. M. Guglielmetti (Soprano)

Quintet—L2052.

Cello Solo—

The Meistersingers—Prize Song (Wagner, arr. Squire),

W. H. Squire L2186.

Orchestral—

Frederica—Selection (Lehar),

London Theatre Orchestra DX132.

Otello—Il Sogno (The Dream of

Cassio) (Verdi) Carlos Morell,

Otello—Ora e per sempre addio

(Verdi),

Francesco Merli (Tenor) LB2.

8 p.m.—Local Time.

7.48-8.30 p.m.—Variety.

Song—An Evening in Caroline,

Is I in Love? I Is,

Marion Harris (Comedienne)

Organ Solo—

What Would You Do?

One Hour with You,

Quentin M. MacLean DB823.

Vocal Duet—

Somebody Loves You,

It Seems All a Dream But It's True,

Lynton and Johnstone DB819.

Banjo Solo—

Rhapsody in Blue,

Indian Love Call,

Eddie Peabody DB812.

Song—

Gipsy Moon,

A Little Love, A Little Kiss,

Trevor Watkins (Tenor) DB818.

Organ Solo—

Rain on the Roof,

Just Humming Along,

Quentin M. MacLean DB821.

9.30-9.30 p.m.—Orchestral.

Brigg Fair—

An English Rhapsody (Delius),

Sir Thomas Beecham and His

Symphony Orchestra 12294/12295.

Roses of the South (Strauss),

Bruno Walter conducting The

Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra

LX28.

Coriolan—

Overture (Beethoven),

Willem Mengelberg and His

Concertgebouw Orchestra LX167.

9.30-9.30 p.m.—Vocal Gems from

Light Opera.

The Chocolate Soldier

(Stange & O. Straus),

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Veronica (Messenger & Elsie),

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Ruddigore (Gilbert & Sullivan),

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Dance Programme kindly supplied by the Brunswick House.

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Fox Trot—

Have a Heart,

To-night or Never,

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Waltz—

I'm Just a Dancing Sweetheart,

The Kiss That You've Forgotten,

6168

Fox Trot—

I Apologize,

Now That You're Gone,

6175

Fox Trot—

Strangers—

Tired,

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Tango—

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Silhouette,

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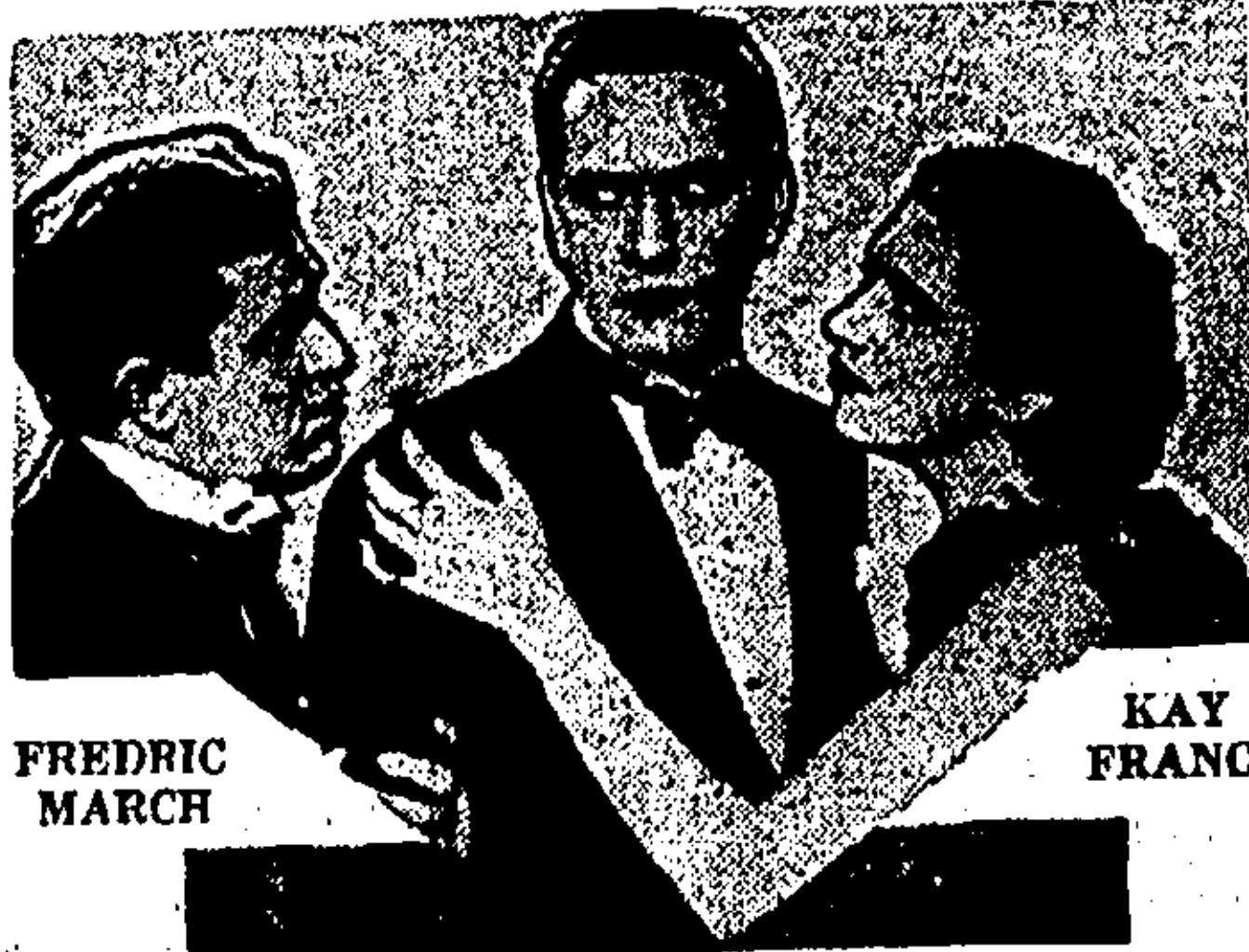
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SECOND BEST IN ENGLAND.

London, Yesterday. D. McNab-Robertson (Mary Hill Harriers) to-day came very near to breaking H. Green's English record for the Marathon when he clocked 2 hours 34 minutes 32.3/5 seconds for the 25-Miles distance at the Amateur Athletic Association Championships at the White City Stadium. Green's figures are 5 minutes 3.1/5 seconds better than the Mary Hill Harrier's effort, but McNab-Robertson's time stands as the second best in the British Isles.

It was only on June 27 that Paavo Nurmi broke Green's record by covering the distance in 2 hours, 22 minutes, 4 seconds, clipping off 7 minutes 25.2/5 seconds from the world record!—Reuter.

THEFT FROM POLICE SERGEANT.

Returned Banishee
Jailed.

Tsang On, a returned banishee, was sentenced to ten months' hard labour by Mr. W. Schofield in the Central Police Court this morning, for the theft of \$2.40 from Sergeant Bowers, of the Shaukiwan Police Station. At the time of the theft, Sergeant Bowers was staying with Mr. and Mrs. J. Polson at their residence at Stanley Terrace, Taikoo. Inspector Stimson prosecuted.

In the early hours of yesterday morning, Mr. Polson was awakened by a noise. He found the defendant crouching at the foot of his bed, in front of a settee. Defendant had gained entrance by climbing up the rear drapery, through a verandah, through the sitting room and into the bedroom. The thief was taken to Shaukiwan Police Station where he admitted the theft.

STUDENT RIOTS IN NANKING.

Many Arrested.

Nanking, Yesterday. The Government is taking drastic steps to curb the student riots. Troops early this morning forcibly entered the Central University and arrested the students responsible for the attack on the University's chancellor.

The students have been ordered to leave the University pending its re-organisation and the faculty have been relieved of their posts.—Reuter.

GENEVA APPOINTMENT.

Geneva, To-day. Mr. Harold Bereford Butler, Deputy Director of the International Labour Office, has been elected Director in succession to the late Mr. Albert Thomas, by 21 votes out of 24.—Reuter.

GARDAN

Geneva, To-day.

Mr. Lee's parents died very old,

also his many brothers and sisters;

he was one of the youngest of his family.

The burial took place yesterday evening in the Roman Catholic cemetery, Happy Valley.

CANTON CHOLERA ON THE WANE.

Government's Prompt Measures.

Mr. Ho Lok, Commissioner of Public Safety for Canton, stated yesterday that cholera was on the wane.

In spite of prompt measures enforced by the Government in respect of restrictions prohibiting the sale of cut fruit, unboiled beverages, and ice cream, the cholera spread to Hong Kong, 16 cases being treated at the Tung Wah Hospital on Tuesday last.

The Commissioner expressed the hope that the Government would encourage vaccination, or carry out free vaccination for the poor classes, so as to check the spread of the epidemic.

MR. JOHN LEE.

Former Member of Police Force.

OLD CHINA HAND.

There passed away in the Matilda Hospital, Mount Kellett yesterday morning, one of the oldest British residents of the China Coast, in the person of Mr. John Lee, at the age of 89 years. He joined the Hong Kong Police Force in 1864, rising to the rank of Inspector, and was latterly custodian of the Colony's recreation grounds, retiring from that post in 1928.

Mr. Lee was born on December 27, 1843, in Lincolnshire, England. He went to sea at an early age, and in 1863 came to China as a sailor in a barque of the British Borneo Co. bound for Shanghai. He arrived in Shanghai just before Christmas, having taken eight months on the voyage. The sailing vessel was then trading along the coast of China to Manila and Bangkok.

On August 10, 1864, Mr. Lee joined the Hong Kong Police, remaining in the force until 1869. Then he was employed by a local firm dealing in sugar, which firm was absorbed by the China Sugar Refining Co.

In 1817 he joined the Police again, and was promoted to Inspector, retiring in 1892, on pension. In 1915 he was appointed custodian of the recreation grounds of Hong Kong.

Mr. Lee, was married in Hong Kong, and had a son who served in England and France during the war. He died in Canton six years ago while in the Asiatic Petroleum Co.

Deceased had been to England only twice since he came out; the first time on the occasion of the Jubilee of Queen Victoria, and the second time in 1928. He was an active and energetic man, spending his leisure time in poultry keeping and gardening.

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DARING ROBBERY AT TAI PO.

Three Chinese Rob Foki of \$212.

VICTIMS BOUND.

Stopping a motor lorry, driven by a shop foki, Nagi Yau, 38, accompanied by a coolie, three Chinese, posing as searchers for contraband, robbed the driver of \$212.

The foki, an employee of the Shan Hing Lung Co., pig dealers, was driving to the Tai Po market to buy pigs. Proceeding along Tai Po Road at about 4.40 a.m. this morning, near the three-and-one-half mile post, he saw three men standing electric torch ordered him to halt. Explaining that they were searching for contraband, they ordered him and his companion to come off the lorry. Upon alighting, a pointed knife and a quantity of wire was produced.

Binding their victims with the wire under threat of the knife, they robbed the foki of his jacket containing \$212 (\$100 in big money and \$100 in ten cent pieces). The money was the property of his master. His purse, containing \$12, was also taken. Throwing the two behind some bushes at the side of the road, the trio of robbers then disappeared in the direction of Shum Shui Po.

YEN, QUO AND KOO HONOURED.

Ambassadorships Awarded.

Nanking, Yesterday.

The Nanking Central Political Council, in conjunction with the Executive Yuan, to-day announced the promotion of Messrs. W. W. Yen (Minister to U.S.A.) and Quo Tai-chi (Minister to Great Britain) as Ambassadors. Official circles consider the appointment of Mr. Wellington Koo as Ambassador to France a matter of time.

The promotions were made following the three veteran Chinese officials' meritorious services to the Nanking Government in connection with their handling of the Sino-Japanese negotiations both in Shanghai and Geneva. The trio will represent Nanking in the League of Nations Convention in September when the Lytton Commission's report will be submitted for the Powers' consideration.

Nanking believed that owing to the delays during the League Commission's tour in Manchuria, their report may not be ready for Geneva until September and on this account the League Assembly may have to be postponed until November.—Reuter.

COMMUNIST WARS.

Nanking, Yesterday. Reports of Government victories in the anti-Communist campaign are still coming in, the latest success being the capture of Hoshan, in West Anhui. The Government troops are now besieging the Communist headquarters at Hochu, the capitalation of which is momentarily expected.—Reuter.

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